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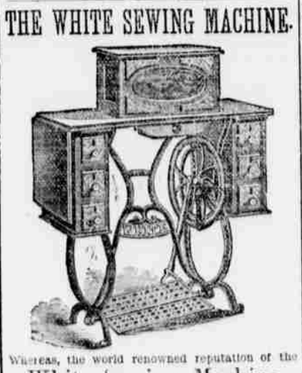

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THE PLANTING OF THE APPLE TREE.

BY WILLIAM CULLEN BRYANT.

Come, let us plant the apple tree,
Cleave the tough greensward with the spade;
Wide let its hollow bed be made;
There gently lay the roots, and there
Sift the dark mould with kindly care,
And press it o'er them tenderly;
As round the sleeping infant's feet
We softly fold the cradle-sheet,
So plant we the apple tree.

What plant we in this apple tree?
Buds, which the breath of Summer days
Shall lengthen into leafy sprays;
Boughs, where the thrush, with crimson breast,
Shall haunt and sing, and hide her nest;
We plant upon the sunny lea
A shadow for the noontide hour,
A shelter from the Summer shower,
When we plant the apple tree.

What plant we in this apple tree?
Sweets for a hundred flowery springs
To load the May-wind's restless wigns
When, from the orchard row, he pours
Its fragrance through our open doors;
A world of blossoms for the bee,
Flowers for the sick girl's silent room,
For the glad infant sprigs of bloom,
We plant with the apple tree.

What plant we in this apple tree?
Fruits that shall swell in sunny June,
And redden in the August noon,
And drop, when gentle airs come by,
That fan the blue September sky;
While children come, with cries of glee,
And seek them where the fragrant grass
Betrays their bed to those who pass,
At the foot of the apple tree.

And when, above this apple tree,
The Winter stars are glittering bright,
And winds go howling through the night,
Girls, whose eyes o'erflow with mirth,
Shall peel its fruit by cottage-hearth,
And guests in prouder homes shall see,
Heaped with the grape of Cintra's vine,
And golden orange of the line,
The fruit of the apple tree.

The fruitage of this apple tree,
Winds, and our flag of stripe and star,
Shall bear to coasts that lie afar,
Where men shall wonder at the view,
And ask in what fair groves they grew;
And sojourners beyond the sea
Shall think of childhood's careless day,
And long, long hours of Summer play,
In the shade of the apple tree.

Each year shall give this apple tree
A broader flush of roseate bloom,
A deeper maze of verdurous gloom,
And loosen, when the frost-clouds lower,
The crisp brown leaves in thicker shower.
The years shall come and pass, but we
Shall hear no longer, where we lie,
The Summer song, the Autumn's sigh,
In the bough of the apple tree.

And time shall waste this apple tree.
Oh, when its aged branches throw
Thin shadows on the ground below,
Shall fraud and force and iron will
Oppress the weak and helpless still?
What shall the task of mercy be,
Amid the cares, the strifes, the tears
Of those we leave when length of years
Is wasting this little apple tree?

"Who planted this old apple tree?"
The children of that distant day
Thus to some aged man shall say;
And, gazing on its mossy stem,
The gray-haired man shall answer them:
"A poet of the land was he,
Born in the rude but good old times;
'Tis said he made some quaint old rhymes
On planting the apple tree."

Select Story.

PARTHENOPE.

BY C. L. HILDRETH.

The dull yellow sunlight of the English autumn struggled vaguely through the silken curtains. Shadows lurked everywhere in the richly furnished apartment, but nowhere so heavily as upon the faces of the two men who stood regarding each other with gloomy eyes. The younger, a strongly built, handsome man of thirty, confronted his companion with a look of open resentment. The other, double his age, but erect and stately as a pine, returned his gaze with assumed calmness. His lip quivered perceptibly, however, and there was an accent of rage in his voice as he said:

"You appear to forget that you are my secretary, sir—my hired servant."

"And you would intimate that I also forget that you are Sir Thomas Ulmer," was the bitter retort, "one of the world's leaven and something better, by Heaven's will, than we poor common mortals. Therefore, because I was born plain Luke Talbot, I am no match for your daughter."

"Exactly, sir," replied Sir Thomas; "your logic is excellent. My admiration for your talent is only equaled by my wonder at your impudence."

"You speak according to your code, Sir Thomas, when you call my just assertion of the rights God has distributed equally among all men by so insulting a name. But in your supreme justice you forgot one important fact. Your daughter loves me."

"I do not forget that you assert it," was the sharp retort. "I do not believe it, for I have a better opinion of my daughter's good sense."

"She has told me so," was the prompt reply, "and I can trust her."

"Indeed!" said Sir Thomas, ironically. "It has gone as far as that! It is high time that a grain of sense were cast into the atmosphere of foolery which you have brought into this home with you. There are laws in England made to protect weaklings like my daughter from scoundrels like you. Be assured that I will lodge you in the nearest jail if you presume to breathe a word of this subject again during the brief remainder of your stay. Now leave the room."

Talbot's face flushed hotly.

"You are a fool to threaten me," he cried, "when it is in my heart to put you and your pompous pride out of the world together."

"I haven't a doubt you number assassination among your virtues," said Sir Thomas coldly. "At the same time we will dispense with heroics if you please. Come here at 9 o'clock this evening, present your accounts, receive your salary, and get out of the house within the hour, or—well, I will not bandy words with you."

Talbot glared at him fiercely for a moment, and then, as if he really feared that his temper would get the best of him he rushed out of the room. As he opened the door a woman's dress whisked quickly into an alcove in the corridor. In his excitement Talbot passed on, unconscious that there had been a witness to his interview with Sir Thomas.

At the foot of the stairs he was met by a young girl, who approached him with a pale and agitated face. She looked up at him anxiously, and seeing the heavy frown upon his forehead shrank back from him murmuring tremulously:

"What did he say, Luke?"

"Say!" answered Talbot harshly, "he heaped insults upon me, and ordered me out of his house like a mongrel dog."

"Poor Luke," said a low, sweet voice behind them, and a tall, slender girl came to his side and took his hand with an air of compassion. "You are learning the hard lesson which is as old as the world, that love has more sorrow than joy in it."

"Yes, Parthenope," returned Talbot, more gently, "pray God when your turn comes the lesson may not be as bitter as mine."

The girl dropped his hand and averted her face in silence. One rarely sees so wide a contrast between the children of the same parents as there was between the two daughters of Sir Thomas Ulmer. Pearl, the younger, was small and fragile of figure, with large, timid, violet eyes and pale gold hair. A sweet thing, born to live all her life a clinging child, and to be the meek shadow of those she loved. Parthenope, the elder, on the other hand, was of grand proportions, graceful as a deer, with hair and eyes of Moorish blackness. Her very movements were expressive of mental strength and decision. In the old time she might have been chosen by an Emperor to be his royal mate. As she stood beside Talbot now, however, there was a strange air of submission in her attitude.

"Help us, Parthenope," said the younger sister, clinging about her neck. "You can influence our father where I should only anger him. Speak for us, my sister. We love each other so."

The elder sister looked down at her in silence. There was a pink spot in each cheek and a hard expression about her pale lips.

"What do you know of love?" she said in a smothered voice.

"All that a woman can know," sobbed Pearl.

"Nothing," returned the other almost violently. "Nothing of the agony, the bitter self-abasement, the utter hopelessness that have burned into a woman's heart before now, and may again. But," she said with a sudden movement and a cold smile, "I must leave the sentiment to you and Luke, who are better judges than I. I will try what I can do with father to-night."

"You are a true friend, Parthenope," said Talbot warmly.

"Friend," she echoed in a strange tone, "wait until the event proves my friendship."

And she hurried away, leaving the lovers to derive what comfort they might from her promise of assistance.

In the vague hope that he might find Sir Thomas more favorably disposed toward him, Talbot repaired to the Baronet's room that night at 9 o'clock. As he paused before the door to summon his composure for what was likely to prove an eventful interview, a strange sound, proceeding from the room startled him. It was that of a low deep groan, followed by a heavy fall. As he turned the door knob there was a muttering of voices and the tread of hasty footsteps within. On entering the apartment a terrible scene met his gaze. The Baronet lay upon the floor with the blood flowing from a deep wound in the forehead. His open eyes and clenched teeth told that it had been almost instantly mortal. Near him on the carpet was a short bar of iron stained with the old man's blood. It had evidently been used to pry up the window which opened upon a low balcony, from whence the perpetrators of the awful deed had probably entered the room and killed Sir Thomas sleeping in his arm chair.

As Talbot stood bewildered and uncertain how to act he was startled by a low cry behind him. Turning quickly he beheld Parthenope gazing at her father with wide and horrified eyes.

"He is dead," said Luke, hoarsely. "They have killed him with one blow and escaped by the balcony into the garden. Quick, ring the bell and arouse the house."

She turned toward the bell rope as if to comply; then paused and looked at him with a sudden mad gleam in her eye.

"Luke," she said, in a whisper, dropping the bell handle and coming close to him, "you were heard to threaten my father to-day. You will be accused of this."

"You cannot believe me guilty," gasped Talbot.

"No," she answered, in the same low voice, "but others will. Do what I tell you. Close the window—softly, so. Now take up the bar of iron."

Without understanding her, without even consenting to her command, he obeyed her mechanically, as if he were magnetized by her fierce energy. When he had done as she directed she suddenly sprang toward him and seizing him by the arm uttered a shrill scream for help. In an instant the room was filled with affrighted servants, and with them came Pearl, nearly fainting.

"Take him!" she cried. "I accuse him of my father's murder! See he has the weapon still in his hand."

There was a rush and twenty rough hands seized him. He struggled violently to free himself.

"What do you mean?" he exclaimed, in horror. "Parthenope, you know that I am innocent. Why should you seek to fasten this awful crime upon me?"

"I accuse you of my father's murder," she repeated with a ghastly face.

"Pearl," cried the unfortunate man—"Pearl, for God's sake, look at me! You, too, do not believe me guilty?"

But Pearl averted her eyes and shrank back from him in affright.

"You quarrelled with my father to-day" she moaned, "Oh, Luke! Luke! how had you the heart to do it?"

He ceased his resistance instantly.

"Take me away," he said. "If she be lieves me guilty, who will have faith in me? Pearl, you have broken my heart. Parthenope, my blood be on your head, and may heaven forgive you!"

With a sorrowful look at the sisters—the younger bowed to the earth with terror, the elder erect and facing him with an expression of mingled triumph and agony—he was led away.

The unhappy young man soon had reason to believe in his own prophecy. The bar had been found in his hand. The motive for the deed was established to the satisfaction of the most charitably disposed. The whole melancholy story of his love was made public, together with his quarrel with the Baronet on the day of the murder. Parthenope, whose unaccountable malice had fastened the most damning proofs upon him, testified to having heard him threaten to murder her father, and her evidence was supported by others.

The case was plain. His own counsel was so fully convinced of his client's guilt that he barely made a show of defense. Talbot had little doubt of the issue of the trial, and cared still less. If Pearl had loved him she would have believed in him, and he should have had the courage to make a manly struggle for his life. As it was, death seemed the happiest mode of ending his wretchedness, even if it must come upon the scaffold.

One night, as he sat moodily in his cell indulging in the gloomiest reflections, the grated door was flung open and a muffled female figure entered. He started up with a bounding heart; he hoped it might be Pearl, come at last to testify her faith in him. The woman flung back her wrappings, and Parthenope, pale as some shadowy visitant of that dreary place, stood before him. He drew back from her with a gesture of disgust.

"Are you here," he said, sternly, "to mock me with the fate your own malice has wrought upon me?"

"I am here to save you," she said gently.

"I will not take my safety from your hands," he cried, fiercely. "For some evil reason of your own you have plotted for my life. Take it; I will not bargain with you."

"Luke," she moaned, "wretched as you are, I am a thousand times more miserable. Death is all that threatens you. I would gladly exchange with you if I might be rid of the burden of remorse and shame that is bearing me to the earth. You say true. I did plot to criminate you knowing you to be innocent. I aimed to have your life in my hands, that I might save it and make it mine. On the evil impulse of the moment I put the bar in your hand and had you accused of my father's death. I believed that I could save you then; I know that I can save you now."

"But what was your object?" asked Talbot, in wonder.

"Luke!" she cried, flinging herself abjectly at her feet, "I loved you. See what an awful thing my love must be when I can sacrifice every womanly sentiment to it. But I did not care. It was too late to shield myself behind any false pretense. More than life, or honor, or pride, I love you, as I loved you from the day you entered my father's house. With some women, Luke, love is a gentle emotion—all meekness and submission. Such love is my sister Pearl's. Other women love like evil spirits, and their love is deadly to themselves and all around them. I am one of those women, Luke. But do not mistake me. I have nourished no vain hope since that dreadful night. There is no longer any hope left me in this world."

"Poor girl!" said Talbot, gently. "If this be true, God knows I forgive you; my own heart is sore enough to urge all charity for you. I, too, have nothing worth living for."

"Yes," cried Parthenope, "you have a long life of happiness before you, blessed with Pearl's love. Weak as she is, she has never been untrue to you. I have poisoned her against you until she could not but believe in your guilt. It shall be a part of my penance to restore her to you."

"Then all will be forgiven and forgotten," answered Talbot. "Rise, my poor sister, and be comforted."

"Comforted," she said, raising her tear-stained eyes to his, "where shall I find comfort?"

He stooped to raise her up, and would have kissed her, but she drew back, with a bright spot in her haggard cheek.

"Not now," she whispered; "not till all wrong is righted, Luke."

With bowed head and tottering step she left the cell. Three days later Talbot was taken into court and formally acquitted.

"Young man," said the Judge, with emotion, "your life has been saved at the expense of a noble woman's. Go to her and thank her for the sacrifice as best you may, for your gratitude and the world's applause are as nothing to her."

Fearing he knew not what, Talbot hastened to the Ulmer mansion. A surgeon's gig was standing before the door, and a weeping servant admitted him. He was led into a room where he saw Parthenope lying upon a sofa and beside her holding one of her wan hands, knelt Pearl, her frail form shaking with sobs. One glance at the white face and hollow eyes of the elder sister told the sorrowful story.

"What has happened?" he exclaimed. "There is blood on her dress."

"She has received a wound in the breast," said the surgeon, who stood gravely by. "She is beyond human aid."

"I have earned my pardon, Luke," murmured Parthenope, with a faint smile. "Even you will forgive me now, as Pearl has, for I have told her all. There was good in my heart, even if it took an assassin's knife to find it. I knew you were innocent that night, for I saw that the house had been entered by thieves and my father murdered by them. But I hoped by casting the blame on you to bargain for your love when I could offer you your life for it. It was a mad hope. I might have learned how futile it must be for my own heart. After you were taken away I searched the grounds beneath the window and found a coat which one of the villians flung off in his flight. I recognized it as that which I had seen on one of two vagrants who had been lurking about the place during the day. I secreted it until my time should come. But in my ignorance of the law I had made a terrible mistake. As your trial progressed I saw that my plan must fail, and unless I made the whole shameful truth known you must die. I resolved to do it, and save you as I promised you in the prison cell. But I was spared that. Secure in your arrest and probably conviction, the murderer's instinct led the tramps to return to the scene of their crime. I saw them both in the garden again. Fearing that they would escape before help arrived, I seized one of them. He struggled, but I was strong, and it was only by dealing me my death that he tore himself away. They were quickly captured, and the lesser villain, to save himself from the consequences of a double crime, confessed the whole. This is the story, Luke," she added, faintly. "Now, if you have forgiven the poor girl who has atoned for her love and her guilt with her life, kiss her that she may die in peace."

With tears in his eyes, Talbot bent and kissed her. Even with the act, with a look of supreme love she breathed out her soul upon his lips. Arising, he looked sadly down at her, and said, in a low voice:

"Love is mighty, for good or evil. God's peace be with her, for her love was great."

And Pearl, hiding her tear-stained face upon his breast, whispered:

"As mine shall be."

When it comes to descending a ladder, the bravest of us generally back down.

The Horse.

It is said that the horse inhabited America during the post-pliocene period, contemporaneously with the mastodon and megalonia. The truth of this statement can be easily ascertained by consulting any well informed mastodon or veracious, megalonia you may chance to meet. The horse, however, is believed to be a native of Asia. Therefore, gentle reader, you can ase your mind on the matter. It is said that there are no real wild horses, but don't put too much dependence on this assertion or saddle be the consequences. The horse belongs to the equine race, and eke wine can always be found upon him. He never travels without his hock. He rears up his young in a way they should go; he rears himself in a way that his rider don't want to go.

It has been said that you can lead a horse to the water But you can't make him drink. The latter clause of this proposition is erroneous. You can make him drink, when he is a pony, and a very common drink it is. Horses are subject to colds, and a pony is always a little horse. Ponies are quite prevalent at Harvard. The University is therefore frequently called a stable institution. King Richard exclaimed: "A horse, a horse! my kingdom for a horse!" At that time his crown was in danger. Had he found a horse his crown might have been broken.

A young horse is called a colt. Colts are revolvers. They discharge their loads with a snap. Horses are sometimes ridden bareback; but do not bare back too far. You may find it hard to keep your seat on. The seton is frequently used on the horse. When a driver wants a horse to get down to his work, he tells him to get up. The horse is not afraid of bad weather. He is guided by the rein. He is a great eater, and generally has a bit in his mouth His bridle trip usually lasts through life. He is always to be depended on, come wheel or whoa.

The horse is covered with hair, but it is on his neck in the mane. This is his mane deck. The tail is the horse's after deck. Horses can still be sold at wholesale after that appendage is gone, but it is impossible to retail them. The horse has no toes. You will no toes it if he steps on your foot. Horses come from the steppes. Horses are always kind and sound. That is, the kind that are advertised for sale. There is a pleasant sound about the expression. A horse won't go right unless you pull him from the straight course. They are a very horsepitable animal. You seldom see a horse still. They will eat corn. They will leave the cob, but a cob will not leave the corn. Their flesh is sometimes eaten. The filly of beef is reckoned a dainty. The female is called a mare. A sea-horse is a cheval de mer. A horse is sometimes called a charger. Stable keepers are chargers also.

The horse is not very strong. He has to lay down his ears when he lifts his heels. And when he lifts his heels look out for horse scars. Horse cars are quite common in our crowded streets. When a horse feels his oats you would best make an oat of it. A whinnying horse is a bad neighbore. The horse has four legs and is well armed. He carries a cannon and bullets. His muzzle is far from his cannon. A horse has four feet, and we often hear of one of fifteen hands. You can't stifle his ambition. He is a kingly beast and always wears a coronet. He cares nothing for the thrown. You can tell a horse's age by his teeth—that is, if you know what his age is before you look at his teeth. It is not considered polite to look a gift horse in the mouth. He might give toss to you if you did.

There are many races of horses, including the race horse. The chestnut horse and the reddish horse must not be confounded with the horse chestnut and the horse radish. These latter are horses of another color. A horse laugh is not pleasant. Job speaks of this when he says that the horse "saith among the trumpets Ha! ha!" But horses in the job business seldom laugh. The centaurs were all horsemen. They have all been centaur way long ago. Horses are caught by the lasso. Alas! so it is. Notwithstanding all that has been said of the healthfulness of equestrianism, you will seldom get a dealer to take a horse back.

A horse marine is not a hawser. Neither are the horses of the yards like the horses of the corrals. Horses are fond of the ladies and are always ready to take a gallop. This is an old pun and you may think it trot, but let us amble along with our history. A good nag should not be neglected. A well-rounded horse is always appreciated, but he is better known by his points. There are several kinds of horses, including the saw-horse, the clothes-horse, the horse-shoe and the horsefly, but should we go into a description of these it would be exhorsesting. We always loved a bay. We shall probably never get over it. But perhaps we had best end this sorrel lot of puns. We don't wish to carry it too far. Our readers might show a trace of ill humor and be a little sulky. Shall we go on? Neigh.—*Boston Transcript.*

The "Boss" System Among Esquimaux Dogs

There is always one bully in every team, who gets all the choice bits that are stolen by the others, and generally manages to keep fat, no matter how short they are of provisions. He waits for the others to make the raid, and then stands on the outside to take it away from them. These bullies are in several grades. There is the chief, of whom all are afraid, and then there is the next in rank, of whom all are afraid but the chief; a third, of whom all are afraid but two, and so on down. Sometimes the food is cut into small pieces and thrown out upon the ice for all to help themselves, and then there is a rough and tumble fight, and snarling and growling, as if a whole cage of hyenas had broken loose. But here the bullies have no advantage; indeed, the advantage is with the small, lively fellows that slip in and get the meat while the others are fighting. When a dog manages to steal a piece of meat he has a lively time of it, for soon every other dog in camp is after him, and he has to eat it on the run, if at all, headed off at every turn by one of the bullies, and whining and choking at the same time. It certainly is one of the most comical exhibitions ever witnessed. —*From "Among the Esquimaux with Schwatka," Scribner for May.*

A brilliant idea: Jones has got an idea. He suspects that Newfoundland was so called because of the Newfoundland dogs that inhabit that country. Nobody but Jones would have made so startling a discovery.

Common Sense in Advertising.

A model advertisement is designed to satisfy the rational demand of a probable customer to know what he has got to sell. The successful advertiser, thereobserves three rules: First, he aims to furnish the information which the public wants; Second, he aims to reach that part of the public whose wants he is prepared to satisfy; and, Third, he endeavors to make his information as easy of acquisition by the public as possible.

The commonest and handiest thing in the American family is the newspaper, and as nearly all shopping proceeds from the family, from it, needs, its intelligence its tastes, its fashions, it follows that the thoughtful and successful advertiser approaches the family by this means. He does not waste his money and his time in loading his advertising gun and shooting it off sky-ward in the street, at all creation, on the chance that some willing customer may be going that way, and may be brought down; on the contrary, he takes account of the advertising ammunition which he has on hand, and loads and points his gun, through the columns of some reputable newspaper, at the game he wants to hit.

Besides knowing that newspapers are the best means of advertising, and how to pick out the best newspapers for his purpose, the successful advertiser fully appreciates the importance of persistent advertising. Mr. Bryant used to say that the great influence of the press depends, for one thing, upon its power of iteration. Presenting the same subject in many forms, it finally wins attention and acquiescence. Used in this thorough and systematic way, the advertising columns of the newspapers are as useful and essential to the merchant, as means of telling the public what he has to sell, as the clerks behind the counter are to show his goods when the people come to examine them.—*New York Evening Post.*

Fate of a Giraffe.

HOW IT AND A TRICK MULE WITHDREW FROM THE NATIONAL SHOW.

The *Tribune* says: One morning when the show opened, the ring master laid before the animals a letter from the giraffe, who said that in consequence of the treatment he had received he felt compelled to leave the show. Before the excitement over this announcement had subsided, the ring master said he had a letter from one of the trick mules who also withdrew from the show. At this there was a little squirming among the snakes

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Friday, May 27, 1881.

The House at Harrisburg has fixed June 9th as the day for final adjournment.

The colored people have been recognised by this administration. Ex-Senator Bruce is register of the treasury and Fred Douglass recorder of deeds for the District of Columbia, both lucrative offices.

The United States Senate rejected the nomination of William E. Chandler to be Solicitor General, all the Democrats and Don Cameron voting against him. Strange that Senators who supported Stanley Matthews for Justice of the Supreme Court should not have been able to lend a hand to Chandler.

The President and Secretaries Blaine, Windom and Kirkwood will take part in the ceremonies at the National Cemetery, Gettysburg, on Decoration day. Governor Hoyt and staff, the heads of State departments and both houses of the legislature will also be present. The oration will be delivered by Hon. Julius C. Burrows of Michigan

Col. Forney thinks "that one of the most conspicuous instances of party hardihood is the coolness with which the Republican chiefs pocketed the electoral vote of Indiana, when they knew it had been purchased, and the bitterness with which they are now hunting and punishing the thieves that stole it for them."

Grant, the national pauper, has been heard from. He has written a letter from Mexico upholding Conkling and abusing Garfield. This is the first hoist into popular favor the administration has had for some time and the President ought to be grateful. Conkling has managed to get himself into such a position that Grant's praise cannot hurt him much.

A gentleman prominently connected with the Postal Department has told a correspondent of the Cincinnati *Enquirer* that "if some check, some tremendous example is not made, and the barefaced peculations and broad robberies now and then shown here put a stop to, our government will become like the Russian government, where every subject regards corruption as indispensable."

Old fable remodeled: A frog who observed an ox peacefully grazing on the river bank was filled with envy and said: "There is no reason why I should not be as big as that joyful creature; it is a mere matter of blowing." So the unhappy frog proceeded to inflate himself with the East wind; but finding himself unequal to the task, he appealed to the Legislature to slaughter the ox.—*Detroit Free Press.*

The chances of Mr. Conkling's re-election are growing small by degrees and beautifully less, and as matters look at present he will not have even the empty honor of a "vindication" by the legislature. Mr. Conkling may not have intended to resign permanently, but the people seem to think he had best retire to private life. The best laid plans of even such very great men as Mr. Conkling cannot always be successfully executed.

It will no doubt be news to many that Chinese tobacco is being consumed to a considerable extent both in this country and in England. The supply is so large and the leaf is so fine in color, texture, and fragrance that merchants are exporting it westward to be mixed with Havanas. It is used largely in the manufacture of cigarettes under the name of Turkish tobacco. In twelve months close upon 8,000,000 pounds of this leaf were exported from Hankow in foreign bottoms alone.

Now is a good time for the Democrats of this county to make up their minds that no man shall receive a nomination at their hands, for a county office, whose record as a member of the party is not square. He who asks for an office from the Democracy must first give proof that he is a member of that party, and entitled to some consideration from it. Men who flew off on the Greenback tangent only three years ago, should be welcomed back into our ranks, but they should also be given some time for reflection before they are placed in lucrative positions by the party they repudiated but very recently.

WHERE IS BRADY?

What has become of Thomas J. Brady, late second assistant postmaster general? His voice has not been heard of late, clamoring for vindication. An excellent opportunity was afforded him to prove his integrity, by Mr. A. M. Gibson, formerly the Washington correspondent of the New York *Sun*, who published the following very vigorous card not long since:

"Thomas J. Brady is a thief and cowardly liar. I invite his attention to the fact that my language is unequivocal and clearly actionable.

"My residence is Washington, D. C., but I will respond to any invitation to try the issue of fact there or here, as he may elect."

Mr. Gibson is a man of reputation and is responsible, in a pecuniary way, for his words. Brady evidently prefers a "vindication" from the post office department and that it does not seem likely he will get. Mr. Gibson is the one who exposed the Star route frauds and has more facts at command than Brady cares to face.

BITTER WORDS.

The New York *Sun* in an editorial on the President's withdrawal of the New York nominations, thus speaks of Senator Conkling:

"We have no sympathy with Mr. Conkling. We detest him for his treachery to the press. We hate and abhor him, and will forever hate and abhor him, for his moral treason to his country in trying to overthrow the most sacred of all the traditions associated with the name of Washington—the belief and observance of the framers of the Constitution—and to create a Third Term of the Presidency, which, we are convinced, would have resulte in the prompt overthrow of republican government on the American continent. A man can incur no worse doom—he can inspire no greater curse upon his memory—than to have it written on his tomb; He was the betrayer of the Liberty of the Press. He was the Traitor to Freedom and Equality by essaying to create a Third Term of the Presidency.

Let maledictions dire, from all true patriots, from all breakers to whose lungs free air is congenial, fall, and continue to fall, and fall forever, on the doomed Lord of Roscoe Conkling, the false conservator to whose keeping their highest interests and their most sacred rights were mistakingly intrusted!

In the same article, the writer holds that Roscoe Conkling is "the most dangerous man to the country within all her borders." There are many honest and honorable men in the country who have formed a similar estimate of the New York Senator.

READING'S TROUBLES.

The Supreme Court, on Monday, filed an opinion affirming the decision of the court below in the Reading railroad case. The opinion is signed by Justices Mercur, Paxson, Gordon and Green. Justice Sharswood and Justices Sterrett and Trunkey dissented and the latter read a minority opinion which concludes as follows: "With great respect for the judgment of the court below and of the majority of this court, and sensible that the final decree settles that I am altogether mistaken, yet to me it seems that the provisions of the charter touching the questions at issue are turned upside down, and therefore I dissent." This decree of an almost evenly divided court ousts Franklin B. Gowen from the office of President of the road and installs Frank Bond. Mr. Gowen remains receiver of the road and president of the iron and coal companies connected with it. Mr. Gowen says that he will undoubtedly be reinstated at the next annual election. For the present at least, the matter is settled and Mr. Bond will receive the seal of the company and manage the affairs of the road, with his board of directors.

THE SENATE ADJOURNS.

The Senate of the United States adjourned *sine die* on Friday last. Among the more important nominations confirmed were those of Gen. Edwin A. Merritt, of New York, as consul general at London; Dr. George B. Loring, of Massachusetts, as commissioner of agriculture; Judson Kilpatrick, of New Jersey, as Minister to Chili; Lewis Wallace, of Indiana, as Minister to Turkey; Senator Bruce, of Mississipi, as register of the treasury; Hon. Glenni W. Scofield, as judge of the court of claims; John F. Dravo, surveyor of customs, Pittsburg; Benjamin Darlington, postmaster at Pittsburg; Stewart L. Woodford, as district attorney for New York. The other New York nominations, withdrawn by the President just before Conkling's resignation, were sent in again and confirmed. The nomination of Lucuis P. Thompson, as surveyor of the port of Philadelphia, was not acted upon, and went over. He will probably be appointed by the President. William E. Chandler was rejected as Solicitor General by a majority of five, the vote standing, yeas 19 Republicans, nays 23 Democrats and Senator Comeron. Senator Mitchell, careful man, refrained from voting and, perhaps, is considered a friend of the administration and of the opposition too. Perhaps.

WRETCHED NOMINATIONS.

President Garfield has been most unfortunate in some of the nominations made for important public offices. That of Stanley Mathews was perhaps the worst, as he was to occupy a high judicial position and decide cases in which millions of the people's money were involved, when he had already shown his unfitness to discharge the duties of his office without prejudice. It is generally believed that his nomination was a reward for his services in the Great Fraud whereby a man not elected was established in the White House. The highest judicial body in the country is disgraced by his presence. The choice of Lew Wallace as Minister to Turkey is not in the least commendable, as he is simply a politician of a not very exalted type and will reflect no credit on the country. Judson Kilpatrick is another disgraceful nominee whose confirmation is an insult to the nation. He does not possess a single qualification for his office, and is nothing but an empty-headed and unscrupulous politician. The Philadelphia *Times* says of him:

"As a man his character is soiled by grave scandals, to which a discreditable dubiety has been given by the man himself. As an official he is incapable, ignorant and untrustworthy. He is notoriously not to be trusted in any relation in life, and indisputably not the material to select for the onerous and delicate duties of Minister to a power like Chili, which will soon be disputing with this country the control of the Southern Isthmus. Furthermore, his dismissal from his post at Chili was welcomed by the government of that Republic in a manner that makes his re-appointment nothing less than an outrage upon the Chilians."

GRANT—CONKLING.

Grant and Conkling have been playing into each other's hands for a long time. The bond between them has been and is, panperism and place-hunting on the part of Grant, and personal vanity on the part of Conkling. Grant has kept Conkling in his train by feeding him with the most fulsome adulation. During the campaign, when they were on the stump together, after Grant had finished his little speech, he introduced Conkling to the audience—at one time in these words: "Now, gentlemen, I know you will hear so much more than I can say on this question, and hear it so much better said, that I will say no more, but will introduce as the next speaker, your eminent townsman and statesman, Senator Conkling."

At another meeting, Grant said: "Now, gentlemen, I will introduce to you a gentleman who can give 329 reasons why the Republican party should be successful in the coming election. That gentleman is the Hon. Roscoe Conkling." [Tremendous applause.]

And to the Rev. C. H. Fowler he said, if Fowler can be believed: "I regard him, (Conkling), as the greatest mind in public life, or that has been in public life since the beginning of the government."

On that sort of meat Grant fed Conkling, and fooled him to the top of his bent, and Conkling got up such programmes as the following:

NEW YORK, November 16.—At a meeting of the Republican Central Committee, the following was submitted and referred to the committee on resolutions: "Resolved, That in the opinion of this committee, steps should be taken by our representatives in Congress, to so amend the Constitution of the United States as to provide that the Presidents and Vice Presidents on their retirement from office shall be admitted to the membership of the Senate."

And thus he played on the weakness of Grant. And now both have come to an untimely end. Grant's letter has betrayed both himself and Conkling, and their reign is over. Gone to meet Gorham and Mahone.

DEATH OF COL. SCOTT.

Col. Thomas A. Scott, the great railway president, died at his home near Darby, at nine o'clock Saturday night, aged 56 years. His last hours were calm and peaceful, and his spirit passed from earth so quietly that the watchers at his bedside hardly knew that the end had come.

Col. Scott's death was caused by paralysis, which produced softening of the brain. He was injured many years ago, in a railroad accident on the Pennsylvania railroad, when he was Superintendent of the Western Division, and never fully recovered from his injuries. He possessed a strong constitution and powerful frame, and thus was enabled to perform a vast amount of labor, both mental and physical, for many years.

By his death, the State has lost her most prominent citizen, the community an honest and honorable man, and the railroad world its greatest manager. Col. Scott was universally beloved and respected, both in social and business circles. He possessed extraordinary executive ability and to his wonderful management, the present excellent condition of the great railroad over which he presided, is mainly attributable. He was undoubtedly the ablest railway manager this country—and perhaps, the world—ever saw. His generosity was proverbial, and he has given fortunes to deserving persons and institutions. He was public-spirited, charitable, thoughtful, for others and utterly free from arrogance. His place in the world will be hard to fill. The fortune left by Col. Scott is estimated at $17,000,000, and it is thought that a large sum has been devoted to charitable and educational institutions. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon, and was attended by many personal friends and prominent railroad officials.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

The Twenty-eighth Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Pennsylvania, will convene in Scranton, on May 31st and continue in session until June 2nd. Fifty-seven commanderies will be represented by about four hundred members, and in addition to those privileged to sit in the Grand Conclave, about two thousand Knights Templar will be in attendance. The election of officers will take place on Wednesday morning, June 1st. to be followed by the grand dress parade, and on the evening of the same day, by a reception.

The commandery comprises some of the most distinguished citizens of Pennsylvania, and it is expected that the gathering will be one of the most brilliant of the kind ever held in this State. The grand annual parade will take place on Thursday, June 2, Knights Templar will appear in full uniform, and a number of military bands will be present to add to the interest of the pageant.

MEMORIAL DAY.

An order relative to the manner in which Decoration Day should be observed this year, has been issued from the headquarters of the G. A. R., of this State, from which we extract the following:

"In compliance with rules and regulations and existing orders, Monday, May 30th, will be observed as Memorial Day throughout this Department.

"As we are called upon to devote but one day of the year to rendering tribute to the memory of our dead comrades, it is expected that upon *that day* the pursuits and cares of daily life will be put aside, and that every comrade of the Order will participate in the solemn and impressive services, showing to the world that, with us at least, the memories of our dead companions in arms have not grown dim with passing years, and that we, who, through the d spensation of Providence have been permitted to survive them, fully appreciate the privileges we enjoy.

"Let the exercises of the day be so arranged and conducted as to reflect no discredit upon our organization and prove that, with the Grand Army, Memorial Day is not one of merriment or festivity, but a day when the mind of the the American soldier is given to sober thoughts and earnest acts, as pure and as patriotic as those that moved him when he shouldered himself as a volunteer soldier of his country and went forth to battle for its honor and the perpetuity of its institutions.

News Items.

A dispatch from Oran says an Arab uprising has occurred in South Algeria, during which a number of French soldiers were killed. The native loss is estimated at 300.

An infant, apparently a few days old, was found drowned on Saturday in Abram's creek at Wyoming. It had evidently been cheaked to death and then thrown into the water.

[Rockford (Ill.) Register.]

FELL AGAINST A SHARP EDGE.

This is furnished by Mr. Wm. Will, 1613 Frankford Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.: Some time since I received a severe injury to my back, by falling against the sharp edge of a marble step, the stone penetrating it at least a half inch, and leaving a very painful wound. After suffering for a time, I concluded to apply St. Jacob's Oil, and am pleased to say, that the results exceeded my expectations. It speedily allayed all pain and swelling and by continued use, made a perfect cure. I really think it the most efficacious liniment I ever used.

Peter Coy, of Indiana county, lost forty out of a flock of one hundred sheep in a few days by feeding them with grain after his stock of hay had been exhausted.

Parents who allow their children to grow up with scrofulous humors bursting from every pore are guilty of a great wrong. Think of them pointed out as branded with a loathsome disease, and you will readily procure them the Cuticura Remedies.

The office of D. Fahnestock & Co., brokers, in Baltimore, was robbed on Saturday of $10,500 in bonds. The bonds has been placed behind a screen, whence they were taken without attracting notice. No clue to the thief has yet been obtained.

The A. S. T. Co. Black Tip for children's shoes is superior to all others for the following reasons: They protect the toe from wear just at the point where the wear comes, and do not give the shoe a bungling and patched appearance, as do the caps sewed on to protect the toe.

A collision between two freight trains occurred at Lansing, Mich., on Monday. Both engines and several cars were totally wrecked. A fire broke out and desroyed four of the cars, loaded with salt, farm machinery and oil. A lime house and lumber yard adjoining the track were also destroyed. The entire loss is $60,000.

An explosion of fifteen barrels of burning fluid in the cellar of a building in St. Joseph Mo., on Tuesday, caused the death of three men and injuries to many others. The building was destroyed.

Frank Rudden, working at Luey furnace near Easton, fell through a bridge on the Lehigh and Susquehanna railroad, near Odenweldertown, on Saturday night, severing his spinal cord and paralyzing his body from his waist down. He is not expected to live.

Women that have been given up by their dearest friends as beyond help, have been permanently cured by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It is a positive cure for all female complaints. Send to Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham 233 Western Avenue, Lynn, Mass., for pamphlets.

IMPORTANT TO TRAVELERS.—Special inducements are offered you by the Burlington Route. It will pay you to read their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue. March 18 40-w

Candidates

[All persons whose names are announced in this column, are pledged to abide by the decision of the Democratic Convention, which will meet on Tuesday August 9th.]

COUNTY TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce the name of A. M. JOHNSON, of Locust township as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of B. F. Edgar, of Fishingcreek township, as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

Cuticura

Itching and scaly diseases, Scrofulous Humors, Ulcers, Old Sores and Mercurial Affections cured when all other human agencies fail.

There is no human agency can so speedily, permanently and economically cleanse the Blood, clear the Complexion and Skin, restore the Hair, and cure every species of Itching, scaly and scrofulous Humors of the Skin, Scalp and Blood as the Cuticura Remedies, consisting of Cuticura, the great skin cure, Cuticura Soap, an exquisite Toilet, Bath and Nursery Sanative, and Cuticura Resovent, the new Blood Purifier.

Skin Humors, Milk Crust, etc.

Skin Humors.—Mrs. S. E. Whipple, Decatur, Mich. writes that her face, head and some parts of her body were almost raw. Head covered with scabs and sores. Suffered fearfully and tried everything. Permanently cured by Cuticura Remedies.

Milk Crust.—Mrs. Bowers, 143 Clinton street, Cincinnati, speaks of her sister's child who was cured of Milk Crust, which resisted all remedies for two years, now a fine, healthy boy, with a beautiful head of hair.

Tetter of the Hands.—Elizabeth Buckley, Littleton, N. H., thankfully praises the Cuticura Remedies for a cure of tetter of the hands which had rendered them almost useless to her.

Scald Head, Alopecia, etc.

Scald Head.—H. A. Raymond, auditor, F. W., J. & S. R.R., Mich., was cured of scald head of nine years' duration by the Cuticura Remedies.

Falling of the Hair.—Frank A. Beam, Steam Fire Engine 6, Boston, was cured of alopecia or falling of the hair by the Cuticura Remedies, which completely restored his hair when all said he would lose it.

Dandruff.—Thomas Lee, 2255 Frankford Avenue, Philadelphia, afflicted with dandruff, which for twenty years had covered his scalp with scales one-quarter of an inch in thickness, cured by the Cuticura Remedies.

Cuticura Remedies are prepared by WEEKS & POTTER, Chemists and Druggists, 360 Washington street, Boston, and for sale by all Druggists. Prices of Cuticura a Medicinal Jelly Small boxes 50 cents, large boxes $1. Cuticura Resolvent, the new Blood Purifier, $1 per bottle. Cuticura Medicinal Toilet Soap, 35 cents. Cuticura Medicinal Shaving Soap, 15 cents; in bars for barbers and large consumers, 50 cents. All mailed free on receipt of price.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Vend. Ex. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale on the premises at two o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, JUNE 17th, 1881.

All that certain lot of ground situate in Centralia Borough, bounded and described as follows: On the north by an alley, on the east by lot of Mary Finnell, on the south by Railroad Avenue, and on the west by Paxton street, containing twenty-five feet in front and one hundred and forty feet in depth, whereon are erected a two story frame dwelling house and other out-buildings.

Seized, taken in execution at the suit of Frank Rentz, Assignee, &c., against the Centralia Mutual Saving Fund Association, and to be sold as the property of the Centralia Mutual Saving Fund Association

FAHRZE & MAIR, Attorneys.

May 7-ts U. H. ENT, Sheriff.

ANNUAL REPORT OF

Convention Township Centralia Poor District for the current year, April 11th, 1881

DAVID WAINS, COLLECTOR.

DR.

To am't borough duplicate poor tax at 5 mills		$ 571 16
To am't twp duplicate poor tax at 10 mills		1891 94
		—$ 2463 10

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By am't of unseated land tax returned on twp duplicate	$ 10 87	
By am't of unseated land tax returned on borough duplicate	129 85	
By am't of errors and exonerations on borough duplicate	16 12	
By am't of errors and exonerations on twp duplicate	3 10	
By am't of reduction made by court in Girard estate	274 55	
By am't of Collector's Commission at 5 per cent	259 93	
By am't of balance paid in treasury	4767 78	
	—$ 5463 10	

DAVID WALSH, TREASURER.

DR.

To am't received from collector	$ 4767 78	
To am't received from County Treasurer unseated land tax	293 47	
To am't of balance due Treasurer	2 38	
	—$ 5063 63	

CR

By am't of poor orders redeemed and cancelled	$ 4952 61	
By am't of treasurer's commission at 2 per cent	101 02	
	—$ 5053 63	

DAVID WALSH Collector of Special Tax.

DR.

To am't of special poor duplicate of borough at 1 mill	$ 113 29	
To am't of special poor duplicate of twp at 2 mills	2246 27	
To am't of unseated land tax received from County Treasurer	141 74	
	—$ 2761 30	

By am't of unseated land tax returned on borough duplicate
By am't of unseated tax returned on township duplicate
By am't of errors and exonerations on boro duplicate
By am't of errors and exonerations on twp duplicate
By am't of reduction made by court in Girard estate
By am't of collector a commission at 5 per cent
By am't paid Wm Krickbaum
Paths Sept. 6, 1880
By am't paid Wm. Krickbaum Poths Dec 1 1880
By am't paid order of Edward Gerahy for services as steward order bearing dated April 9, 1875
By am't of treasurer's commission at 2 per cent
By bal due the district

$ 2 10
209 24
3 22
1 51
137 24
110 39
1 000 00
500 00
585 00
44 75
107 67
—$ 2701 36

We the undersigned auditors of Columbia county hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account and find it correct as above set out.

WM. L. MANNING, }
S. E. SMITH, } County Auditors.
C. B. SHEESHOLTZ, }

Orders redeemed in detail.

No 74, April 15, 1880, Samuel Keller hemlock cord wood		22 48
No 77, April 15, 1880, Wm Murphy making annual statement		15 00
No 78, April 20, 1880, Mrs James S. carpenter, making shrouds		5 00
No 79, April 25, 1880, Richard Proctor surgeon		25 00
No 80, May 13, 1880, Elwell & Bittenbender publishing statement		30 00
No 81, May 15, 1880, Robert Farrel boarding sick pauper		45 00
No 83, May 15, 1880, David Walsh services as director		100 00
No 84, May 15, 1880, Thomas Gallagher services as director		100 00
No 85, May 15, 1880, D Walsh services as director		15 00
No 86, May 15, 1880, Thomas Gallagher services as director		100 00
No 87, May 15, 1880, S P Levan sheats and clover seed		62 00
No 88, May 29, 1880, Charles Strausser carpenter work		24 00
No 89, May 29, '80, Wm Peiffer keeping vagrants		12 50
No 91, June 2, 1880, Chas Ikes, coffin for pauper		40 00
No 92, June 2, 1880, Clara Ikes, coffin for pauper		40 00
No 94, June 26, 1880, W. H. Bright agt lumber		81 60
No 95, July 2, 1880, James D[illegible] supplies for poorhouse		24 49
No 96, July 2, 1880, Geo W Dawes mason work and supplies		43 49
No 97, July 2, 1880, D F Curry horse hire and keeping vagrants		29 54
No 99, July 2, 1880, Thos Chapman services as director		45 25
No 100, August 7, 1880, Dr Owens prof services		20 00
No 101, August 7, 1880, Dr O Owens prof services		23 50
No 102, August 7, 1 0, W K Weidensall horse hire		21 50
No 104, August 7, 1880, M T Donohoe stationery		40 00
No 105, August 7, 1880, Capt Ikhawn clothing		9 75
No 106, August 7, 1880, Dr Lashell prof services		23 00
No 107, August 7, 1880, John Mohan and others digging grave		6 00
No 108, Aug 7, 1880, J G Brown publishing statement		29 63
No 110, August 7, 1880, Lewis Hepler for repairs		15 00
No 111, August 7, 1880, C B Sheesholtz attorney plaints		16 00
No 112, Sept 4, 1880, A B Fortner tinware and supplies		23 92
No 113, Sept 4, 1880, Samuel Keller carpenter work for poor house		69 00
No 114, Sept 4, 1880, John H Stokes work on farm		29 43
No 115, Sept 4, 1880, Lewis Miller work on farm		5 00
No 116, Sept 4, 1880, Lewis Miller work on farm		1 25
No 117, Sept 4, 1880, E D Kurtz smith work		5 75
No 119, Sept 4, 1880, M L Eng repairing wagon		1 60
No 120, Sept 4, 1880, Knorr & Daniels sundries for poor house		6 80
No 122, Sept 4 1880, C G Murphy for poor district		459 94
No 123, Sept 10, 1880, G W Davis medicines etc		47 75
No 128, Oct 2, 1880, Wm Cleaver lumber		2 50
No 129, Oct 2, 1880, Dr Lashell medical services		42 75
No 130, Oct 2, 1880, J I Streit bill heads		5 25
No 131, Oct 2, 1880, Jackson Steelrist harness		20 00
No 132, Oct 2, 1880, Wm Fink smith work		55 45
No 134, Oct 2 1880, Thos Chapman services as director		50 00
No 138, Oct 2, 1880, Sam'l Keller sal. as steward		100 00
No 140, Oct 20, 1880, D C Black rubic for poor district		6 00
No 141, Oct 30, 1880, Sykes & Jones coal		5 00
No 142, Oct 30, 1880, Daniel Beaver coal		5 00
No 144, Nov 6, 1880, Lewis Pitner work on farm		3 50
No 145, Nov 6, 1880, B F Fouk wheelwright		18 99
Nov 146, Nov 8, 1880, Saml Heinbold shoeing		10 66
No 147, Nov 6, 1880, Charles Strausser painting at poor house		24 60
No 148, Nov 6, 1880, W K Weidensall services rendered		7 60
No 149, Dec 4, 1880, W H Bright agt lumber		10 80
No 152, Dec 24 1880, A B Fortner hard ware etc		8 40
No 1, Dec 25, '80, W K Weidensall horse hire		12 60
No 2, Dec 25, 1880, W Conover wheelwright		3 50
No 7, Jan 3, '81, John Beig cider		6 60
No 9 Jan 3, 81, Thos Miller 2 bbls cider		10 76
No 10 Jan 3, 81, Jno L Ikhn, posts, &c		45 60
No 11, Jan 3, '81, Charles C Eck lime		31 90
No, 19 Feb 13, 81, Jas Dyke, supplies for poor house		5 00
No 24, Feb 15, '80, Wm Herbert, mdse for poor district		23 00
No 28 March 5, '81, Henry Beaver, smith work		4 10
No 29 March 5, '81, Jno Hughes attdg H Gibbons		15 60
No 26, March 5, '81, Jno Hughes attdg H Gibbons		11 00
No 27, Mar 5, '81, Sam'l Keller, steward		200 00
No 33, Mar 23, '81, Thos Geraty, horse hire		100 00
No 34, March 26, '71, Pat Maloney and others, digg'g graves		40 00
No 35, March 26, '81, W K Weidensall horse hire		44 00
No 39, April 2 '81, Jas Rielly for cow		4 00
No 40, Apr 2, '81, Mr Owens prof service		25 00
No 41, April 2, '81, D Walsh, money advanced for district		57 00
No 42 April 2, '81, Jno Moran for shoes		38 25
No 43, April 2, '71, John McNally for corn		30 00
No 44, April 2, '81, Mrs E Curley room rent		25
No 46, April 2'80, P F Burke, salary as clerk		25 00
Orders of previous years redeemed.		
No 49, Mar 5, '78, Ed Kurt smith work		37 00
No 81 May 4, '78, O B Millard, mdse		596 20
No 93 Sep 9, '78, Dr Lashell med services		20 70
No 103 Sep 15, '78, Reuben Fahringer, swearing paupers, etc		47 60
No 120, Dec 7, '78, Wm Cleaver, lumber		94 37
No 121 Feb 28, '79, Burke & Bro coffins		57 75
No 3, May 22, '79, D Walsh, services as director		100 00
No 12, May 22, '79, Dr McKibbin med ser		25 00
No 19, July 15, '79, G E Myers publishing statement		52 50
No 24, Aug 20, '79, John L Kline, coal		91 50
No 25, Aug 30, '79, Dr Lashell, prof ser		20 00
No 29, Aug 8, '79, Thos Geraty, horse hire		24 00
No 33, Sept 18, '79, Chas C Eck, lime		24 10
No 40, Oct 8 '79 Dr. McK bbin med ser		5 85
No 41 Oct 8, '79, Johanna O'Connor, horse hire		100
No 48, Oct 24, '79 Wm Fink smith work		2 00
No 50, Nov 1, '79, D J Peters, agt fruit trees		10 20
No 53, Dec 27, '79, Simon Fetterman, sundries		20 00
No 59, Dec 2, '79, Thos Chapman coal and hauling		24 60
No 54, Dec 27, '79, H D Maize, medicine		11 00
No 61, Jan 31, '80, Thos Chapman, services rendered		8 85
No 63 Feb 28, '81, J I Streit, printing		5 00
No 65, Mar 27, '80, Em Levan, cost for poor house		73 00
No 64, Mar 27, '80, Wills Wagner wages as mail		15 08
No 69, Mar 30, '80, Sam'l Keller, mdse bought		78 00
No 70, Mar 30, '80, Dr McKibbin, medical services		11 00
Receipt of Danville asylum for keeping insane paupers		50 00
Total,		693 00
		$4,952 61

The following orders issued during the year are still outstanding and unpaid:

No 74, April 20, A Riely, attending insane paupers		9 00
No 75, April 20, '80, Bridget Geraty, attending insane paupers		4 50
No 76, April 20, '80, Mrs John Geraty, attending insane paupers		4 50
No 90, Mar 29, '80, Dr Vastine, medicine, etc		6 67
No 92, Mar 30, '80, P E Buck, hardware, etc		17 38
No 103, Aug 7, '80, P E Buck, hardware, etc		23 77
No 112, Aug 25, '80, Burke & Bro coffins		85 00
No 117, Sept 10, '80, C G Murphy, mdse for district		160 00
No 123, Sept 10, '80, P E Buck hardware		25 99
No 124, Sept 10, '80, O D Millard, mdse for district		163 00
No 126, Oct 2, '80, Lebanon Mutual Insurance Co insurance		46 53
No 127, Oct 2, '80, C G Murphy, mdse for district		587 74
No 133, Oct 2, '80, Vastine & Mears, prof services and medicine		7 67
No 137, Oct 20, '80, P F Burke, services as clerk		114 00
No 138, Oct 22, '80, P F Burke, services as clerk		50 00
No 139, Oct 20, '80, P E Buck, hardware		45 00
No 141, Oct 20, '80, A Riely, attending H Gibbons		2 50
No 150, Dec 4, '80, W Peiffer, keeping vagrants		45 00
No 151, Dec 4, '80, Thorbaen & Co lime		4 70
No 3, Dec 23, '80, D Lashell prof ser		14 40
No 4, Dec 23, '80, G W Davis, paint etc		90 00
No 5, Dec 23, 80, G W Davis, medicines &c		17 65
No 6 Jan 6, '81, E D Wagenhead & Co		52 38
No 7, Jan 8, '81, Knorr & Daniels hardware		93 24
No 12, Jan 8, '81, Mont Yeager, repairing harness		10 10
No 13, Jan 8, '81, Wm Peiffer, coal and keeping vagrants		9 25
No 14, Jan 8, '81, Thos Geraty, coal and hauling		7 00
No 18, Jan 15, '80 G B Millard, mdse for district		21 60
No 15, Jan 22, '81, Wm Bryson, atty services		359 52
No 17, Jan 22, '81, Wm Bryson, atty services		25 00
No 18, Feb 14, '81, L A Riley & Co coal		20 00
No 2, Feb 18, '81, Ed Foy, services ren		12 25
No 22 Feb 18, '81, Mrs Curley, room rent on account		14 00
No 24, Mar 5, '81, Wm Peiffer, keeping vagrants		10 00
No 25, Mar 5, '81, B F Fouk smith work		7 60
No 30, Mar 5, '81, Samuel Reber, services 1879 as steward in full		6 80
No 32, Mar 26, '81, J I Streit, order book		10 00
No 34, Mar 26, '81, Dr Lashell, prof ser		4 70
No 37, Mar 26, '81, C G Murphy, legal ser		17 65
No 38, Mar 26, '81, C G Murphy, mdse for district		11 00
No 45, Apr 2, '79, D F Curry, services		$ 8 85
No 47, Apr 2, '80, P F Burke, salary as clerk in full for '80		5 00
		73 00
Total orders outstanding of 1880		5,316 99
" " " " 1879		519 24
" " " " 1878		1,509 95
" " " " 1877		1,141 66
		6 477 79
Am't due for unsettled bills at date		3,56 87
Total indebtedness at date		9 744 16
Amount orders issued during last fiscal year		$4,991 99
Deduct orders issued during last fiscal year for bills contracted previous to that year		$4,0 21 86
Net am't bills contracted last year for which orders are issued		$2,269 13
Net am't of bills contracted last year for which no orders have been issued		1,667 54
Total expenditures of last year including am't paid for stock farm improvements and all other expenses		3,936 67
		$5,520 70

Account of C. G. Murphy, Collector and Treasurer of 1879.

	DR.	
To am't received from John Purnell	$22 50	
" " balance due district as per last statement, poor	4 73	
" " balance due district as per last statement, sp. clai	469 39	
		$496 62

CR.

By am't paid Co. Auditors as per receipt cancelled	$50 00	
" am't paid judgment of C M Vandergrift's on docket of C G Murphy with interest and costs	97 63	
" am't paid judgment of C M Vandergrift's on docket of C G Murphy including interest and costs	9 03	
" am't paid judgment of C G Murphy obtained in court for $ 9 10 together with interest and costs	145 26	
" am't paid judgment of C G Murphy being No 1877 Dec T, 187 with interest and costs	165 49	
" am't paid judgment to Eli Merrigh's use June term 1 [illegible] int. cost and costs	91 10	
" am't of bal due still due the dist	8 11	
		$496 62

W. A. MAIR Attorney.

To am't paid him last settlement by Thomas Chapman, late Treasurer in expenditure of his balance $156 60
By am't due W A Mair for over pay m't 23
$179 23

CR.

By the following orders cancelled and redeemed:

No, 71 March 26, '80 to Thomas Callagher, servic s as director	$50 00	
" 101 October 4 '78 to P E Buck, hardware, &c	40 00	
" 90, 91 Sept 8, '79, to P E Buck, hardware, &c	41 13	
" 62, Feb 18, '80, to P E Buck, hardware, &c	11 10	
	—$150 23	

THOS CHAPMAN, Treasurer, 1879 DR.

To am't I believe due the district at last settlement $184 15

By am't of order issued April 29, 1881 for services during last year as director on acct. presented and cancelled by us $184 15

We further find the following balances due this Poor District by the officers named:

Due by Neal Leighton, collector for '71 $937 00

THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, FRIDAY, MAY 27, 1881

PUBLIC SALES.

Henry Hollingshead, administrator of the estate of Mary Cleaver, will sell real estate in Catawissa, on Saturday, June 18.

Hiram Shugars, administrator of George Holicnback, will sell real estate on the premises in Main township on Saturday July 2nd.

Gay H. McMaster, executor of John McCalla, deceased, will sell real estate at the Court House on Friday, June 3rd at 1 o'clock p. m.

The Hungarians make things lively at Espy.

Black bass can lawfully be caught on and after Wednesday next.

A large number of men are at work on the road in Lightstreet.

Mrs. W. A. Watson has a nice stock of new millinery goods at her store in Jerseytown.

The Rupert Hotel is being newly papered and painted.

Sweet Potato Plants, 40 cents per 100, $3 1000 at Joseph Garrison's, Bloomsburg.

H. S. Reay is making some additions to the machinery of his paint mill at Rupert.

Conrad Kramer of Jerseytown is doing a large lumber business.

Mr. Charles M. Girton and family of Savannah, Ohio, are here on a visit to relatives and friends.

L. N. Moyer has purchased the Thomas property on Main Street, and will remove there about July 1st.

Some of the farmers in the upper part of the county have had bad luck with their corn, and have been compelled to re-plant.

A. L. Fritz Esq., deputy for Sheriff Ent, has retired from that office and will devote himself to the practice of law.

The repairs at Neal's furnace will be made by Joshua Fetterman, who has contracted for the proper and speedy prosecution of the work.

The number of water consumers is constantly increasing. Several have been added during the past week.

The foundation walls of the new COLUMBIAN office are completed. The brick laying will be commenced next week.

Rules of nomination of the Democratic party, in pamphlet, for sale at this office. Price 10 cents.

FOR SALE.—A twenty horse power stationary engine, in first class order. Inquire at this office. may 6 4-w*

Mr. E. R. Drinker went to Philadelphia on Monday to attend the annual meeting of the Bloomsburg Iron Company, held on the following day.

Miss Harriet Harman, formerly of this town, but lately of Allentown, has returned to live with her sister Mrs. Tubbs at the Exchange Hotel.

Mr. William G. Gatchell, of the Bradford *Star*, has sued the proprietor of the Bradford *News* for calling him a fool. Now, it might be —however—.

There are very few better country taverns than that kept by A. K. Smith at Jerseytown. The house is neat, the table is excellent, and the genial disposition of the landlord makes it a pleasure to stop there.

Monday next, May 30th, being a legal holiday, the banks will be closed and those having notes maturing on that day should either pay or renew them on Saturday, and thus avoid protests.

All should patronize the festival to be given by the Bloomsburg Cornet Band on Market Square on Saturday and Monday evenings May 28 and 30. Proceeds to be used for purchase of suits for five new members.

On and after June 1, no printing or writing will be permitted on the address side of postal cards, except that imprinted thereon at the manufactory; and such as may be proper for the necessary direction of the same.

Chas. Eayre Hinkle, Jersey City Heights N. J., writes: "My son, a lad of twelve years, was completely cured of a terrible case of Eczema by the Cuticura Remedies. From his head to his feet was one mass of scabs."

The corner stone of the M. E. church, at Jonestown, will be laid on Sunday, June 5th at half past ten o'clock in the morning. Rev. M. L. Smyser, of Berwick, will preach the sermon on the grounds. A general invitation to be present is extended.

The Normal School base ball club will take a trip up the river to-morrow. In the afternoon they will play a game with the Wyoming Seminary nine in Kingston, and on Monday will play a return game with the boys of the Wilkes-Barre Academy, in Wilkes-Barre.

An unusual number of persons have been consigned to the lock-up of late. If this sort of demoralization is to continue the town authorities should furnish better accommodations. The cells of the old jail would be much better than the wretched building now in use.

Jeremiah Crowley and Michael Quinn were killed at Mill Creek, near Wilkes-Barre, last Saturday, by the caving of the sides of a new shaft in process of construction. The soil was sandy and caved without warning, burying the men. Their bodies were recovered.

The bond ordinance has been passed finally by both branches of the Williamsport council This is a good beginning, and if the bondholders will take the bonds offered them, there may be a brighter future for the debt-burdened city.

Mr. J. J. Brower is refitting the store room, formerly occupied by Moyer Bros. and will soon display a fine assortment of carpets, of various kinds and grades. Mr. Brower and others intend to carry on the business of banking in the same room.

Mr. Eckert Smith, of Beach Haven met with quite an accident while down the canal boating last week; breaking both bones of his left leg in a frightful manner. Dr. F. P. Hill was called and set the leg. We are informed that Mr. Smith at present, is doing well.—*Berwick Independent.*

[Chambersburg, (Pa.) Herald.]

After vainly spending five hundred dollars for other remedies to relieve my wife, I have no hesitation in declaring, that St. Jacobs Oil will cure Neuralgia, says M. V. B. Hersom, Esq., (of Pinkham & Hersom,) Boston, Mass., an enthusiastic indorser of its merits.

The Pennsylvania State Teachers' Association will hold its next meeting at Washington, in the western part of the State, July 26, 27 and 28. Arrangements are in progress to make this one of the largest and most successful meetings that has ever been held. The town is attractive, being the seat of Washington and Jefferson College.

Mr. John Thompson appeared at the Opera House on Thursday evening of last week, before a not very large audience, in a play entitled "Around the World." This is merely a title to a series of character sketches and musical performances by Mr. Thompson, whose versatility is much greater than his ability. The entertainment affords some amusement, but is not of a high grade and has outlived its popularity. Variety troupes, now-a-days, must possess decided merit to achieve success.

The recent rains have produced the most beneficial results as regards the growth of grass and grain. From present appearances there will be a decided fall in the price of hay for 1881 as compared with that of the past year.

If you have pimples, boils, salt rheum, rough skin, &c., take "Lindley's Blood Searcher." Sold by all druggists. may20 4w

The trustees of the Danville Insane Hospital deny the statement that the insurance companies have refused to pay the losses caused by the recent fire. Several of the companies have already paid, and that too, without claiming the sixty days allowed by the policies.

Section 6 of the game and fish laws provides that no wild fowl, which includes geese and ducks of all kinds, shall be killed or had in possession between the 15th of May and the 1st of September, under a penalty of ten dollars for each wild fowl killed, exposed for sale or had in possession.

For good Cabbage Plants go to W. H. Yetter. He has about one and a half acres best seed sowed, and plants fine. may27tf

A new daily paper, *The Record*, has made its appearance in Danville. It is considerably larger than the *Sun*, of this town, having five columns to a page. There is a liberal number of advertisements and much reading matter of a general kind. Victor A. Lotier is editor and publisher and R. W. Eggert, local editor. The *Record* is to be an independent journal.

A game of base ball was partially played on the fair grounds last Saturday between a club composed of young gentlemen of the Wilkes-Barre Academy and our Normal School nine. The visitors were defeated by a score of 8 to 6, a result for which they account by the fact that they have had little practice together. Perhaps they will show a better record in the return game on Monday.

Sick headache, nervous headache, headache from sour stomach, are all cured by *Dr. Mettaur's Headache and Dyspepsia Pills.* Price 25 cents. may 13 3w

There was glass ball shooting at Catawissa last Saturday in which H. B. Aldrich was the victor by a score of 18 out of a possible 20. In shooting off the tie with William Eyer, Mr. Aldrich was again the winner and is now the champion. Several of the members of the Catawissa club are expert marksmen and practice is rapidly making their shooting extremely accurate.

If reports are to be credited, the farmers will have a lively time fighting insect foes this season. Potato bugs have made their appearance in New Jersey and in several counties of New York, and countless hosts of army worms have begun their ravages in both the States named Last year the army worms found their way into Pennsylvania but at so late a date that they did little damage.

Charles Hartman died on Thursday of last week, at the residence of B. F. Sharpless, this town, aged 72. He was a resident of Montandon, Union county, and came here on a visit, intending soon to return. His sickness was brief and he was unconscious for two days before his death. Mr. Hartman was the oldest of eight children and the first to die. The funeral took place on Saturday and the body was interred at Catawissa.

Are you going to paint? If so, send to Henry S. Reay, Montour Paint Works, Rupert, Pa., for sample card and prices of Strictly Pure White Lead. Slate Colors, Iron Paints, Putty &c., and save the wholesale and retail profit. You can mix your own colors, from best material, with Pure Linseed Oil, for 75 cents to $1.20 per gallon.

Respectfully Yours &c.,
apr. 15-6m HENRY S. REAY.

A children's meeting was held in the Presbyterian church on Saturday evening last, under the auspices of the "Woman's Christian Temperance Union." The exercises which were very interesting, began with singing, Bible reading and prayer, after which there was singing again. Miss Katie Young read an essay on Temperance, Charles Lutz and Miss Alice Brockway recited selections. After a few suitable remarks by Mrs. William Neal, a form of pledge was read and twenty-eight children signed it. The next meeting will be held in the Lutheran church on Saturday evening, June 25th.

W. H. Gilmore's little daughter was bitten in the mouth by a vagrant cur, on Tuesday. One of the dog's teeth penetrated the inside of the child's lip making a painful and troublesome wound. At this writing both of the little girl's lips are much swollen, but no serious results are anticipated. Wandering dogs should never be permitted to remain in a town of this size. Pistol cartridges are cheap and the judicious use of one of them may prevent much human suffering and perhaps save a life.

A well equipped and properly conducted livery stable is undoubtedly an invaluable public convenience, and travelers have an increased respect for a town in which such an establishment exists. The stable of Messrs. Backalew, in the rear of the Court house, is one of the kind, and is a credit to Bloomsburg. About a dozen carefully groomed horses stand in the stalls ready for use, and vehicles of all kinds are to be found in the large shed. Both animals and carriages are superior to those ordinarily offered for the use of the public and this fact accounts for the popularity of the Backalew stables.

We have repeatedly called the attention of the Town Council to the necessity for passing an ordinance requiring the muzzling of dogs during hot weather. No heed was paid to the suggestion. Now that a child has been bitten by a worthless cur, perhaps the town authorities may deem it advisable to take some measures to protect the little ones. To kill a dog after it has bitten a human being, is very like locking the stable door after the horse is stolen. The poison is not extracted from the wound by the slaughter of the animal. As there is no cure for hydrophobia, prevention is the only thing worth consideration.

We have received a neat pamphlet containing a history of the great fire at Milton on the 14th of May 1880. There is a sketch of the disaster by Rev. W. H. Oswald, giving all the important facts. The fire extended over more than one hundred acres and destroyed property valued at $2,500,000. Three thousand people were rendered homeless. The pamphlet contains full reports of the legal proceedings relative to the distribution of the relief fund, and a schedule showing how and to whom the distribution was made of more than $80,000. The total amount in the hands of the trustees was $87,819.19 and the expenses were $1670.63. Milton has rapidly recovered from the terrible visitation of flame and is prospering.

William on H. Jacoby is still at Pittsburg as a juryman in the United States Court. He is at present engaged in two cases, which are being tried together, in which some Michigan Indians are claiming the title to land in Pittsburg. The names of the parties to the suit are as follow: Jack Poquaw, Ke-ne-gaw, and O-gaw-baish-caw-mo-quay, his wife, for the use of the said O-gaw-baish-caw-mo-quay his wife, vs. Eliza A. Darlington, impleaded with Ne-bayno-se, and Waw-se-che-waw-no-quay, his wife. The Indian claimants are in attendance at the trial, and their testimony is given through interpreters. Mr. Jacoby will be home about the last of next week. Guy Jacoby, Esq., is attending to the duties of the Register's office in his father's absence.

Nervous headache, periodical headache neuralgia headache cured by *Dr. Mettaur's Headache and Dyspepsia Pills.* Price 25 cents. may 13-3w

The city authorities of Wilkes-Barre, recently essayed to erect a pest house for the reception of small pox patients, at a point just outside the city limits. It was a thousand feet from the nearest dwelling. People living in the vicinity became intensely excited, held an indignation meeting and employed a lawyer to procure an injunction to stop proceedings. Judge Woodward granted this, and now the authorities say that they will build a pest house in the heart of the city if the matter is allowed to remain in its present shape.

VISIBLE IMPROVEMENT.

Mr. Noah Bates, Elmira, N. Y., writes: "About four years ago I had an attack of bilious fever, and never fully recovered. My digestive organs were weakened and I would be completely prostrated for days. After using two bottles of your Burdock Blood Bitters the improvement was so visible that I was astonished. I am now, though 61 years of age, do a fair and reasonable day's work." Price $1. trial size 10 cents.

Unsightly piles of broken stone disfigure the Main Street and for appearance sake should be removed without delay. There may be a doubt as to whose duty it is to do this work, but if an accident occurs and man or beast is injured, the town will have to pay the damages. The cheapest plan is to cart away the stone, which opinion is submitted to the Town Council for consideration. If the heaps are to remain it would be well to hang a lantern over each one, to warn drivers. It would look a little like a permanent torchlight procession, but it would cost less than a bill of damages.

400,000 Cabbage Plants for sale by W. H. Yetter, Bloomsburg, Pa. Patches on Fourth street, near Market. may27tf

MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONIES.

In accordance with custom, the graves of the soldiers who lost their lives in the war of the Rebellion, will be strewn with flowers on Monday next, the 30th inst. The Bloomsburg Cornet Band, the various fire companies and citizens will meet at three o'clock in the afternoon on the public square where they will form in line and thence proceed to the Normal School. There the students will join them and march to the cemetery. After the playing of a selection by the band, Mr. D. A. Buckley will deliver an address. The ballad "Cover them over with beautiful flowers" will then be sung, and will be succeeded by band music. The ceremony of decking the graves with flowers will conclude the exercises. Mr. R. P. Mackey will be the marshal of the day.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

On Tuesday and Wednesday next, May 31st and June 1st, the Columbia County Sunday School Association will hold a convention in the Zion brick church, near Pealertown, Fishingcreek township. Sessions will be held in the morning, afternoon and evening of each day. All Sunday school workers are cordially invited to be present, and are requested to prepare themselves to speak on some of the many topics to be discussed. Each Sunday school represented is expected to take a collection and send the sum obtained to help defray the expenses of the Convention. Delegates from a distance will be entertained free, and conveyances from Bloomsburg can be obtained at reasonable rates by notifying Elias M. Loubaugh, at Forks, this county, five days before the Convention.

PERSONAL.

Judge Elwell held court at Danville this week.

C. E. Kessler was in Philadelphia this week buying new goods.

Hon. C. R. Backalew and Capt. C. B. Brockway attended court at Laporte this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Funston started on their western trip on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. S. A. Yorks of Danville spent a few days in town this week with Miss Eiwell.

T. W. Conner went to New York and Philadelphia on Monday to purchase goods for his store.

Miss A. D. Webb has returned from the west, and we are informed, intends to make her home here.

H. Clay Hartman of Lock Haven, formerly of this town, was here last week to attend his father's funeral.

W. C. McKinney and Charlie W. McKelvy are spending a few days up the creek, trying their hands at trout fishing.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Pursuant to call, the members of the Columbia County Agricultural Society met in the Opera House on Saturday, May 21, for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year. The meeting was called to order by Hon. E. J. McHenry, with Fred. B. Hartman acting as Secretary. S. J. Conner and E. J. McHenry were nominated for Chairman. Geo. E. Elwell and E. D. Leidy were appointed as tellers. The vote stood, McHenry, 158; Conner, 84. Mr. McHenry then assumed his duties. On motion, Robert Buckingham was appointed reading clerk, E. D. Leidy and W. J. Backalew, secretaries. The minutes of the last annual meeting were adopted as read. The financial statement of the past year was adopted as read. It was agreed that the salaries of the President, Secretary and Treasurer be the same as last year. Hon. M. G. Hughes and Freas Fowler were nominated for President. Mr. Fowler declined being a candidate and a motion to reconsider the closing of the nominations was lost. Mr. John G. Jacoby was authorized to cast the vote of the Society for Hon. M. G. Hughes, and the Chair declared him duly elected. The following nominations were made for Vice Presidents: Freas Fowler, Peter A. Evans, U. H. Ent, C. L. Sands, N. H. W. Brown, Robert Pursel, B. F. Batten and O. W. Cherrington. The Chair appointed D. T. Jones and Samuel Kisner tellers. The vote stood, Freas Fowler, 154; Peter A. Evans 154; U. H. Ent, 151; C. L. Sands, 152; N. H. W. Brown, 82; Robert Pursel, 81; O. W. Cherrington, 82; B. F. Batten, 82. Messrs. Fowler, Evans, Ent and Sands were elected. The balance of the ticket was voted for at one time. The following nominations for Executive Committee were made: William Shaffer, James M. Dewitt, Samuel Camp, P. S. Harman, Nehemiah Kitchen and Aaron Smith; for Secretary, Fred. B. Hartman and W. M. Monroe; for Treasurer, James C. Brown and Jno. F. Peacock; for Librarian, Thomas Webb and Eli Barton; for Member of State Board of Agriculture, Chandler Eves and E. M. Tewksbury. Mr. I. Bower was also nominated, but declined. The Chair appointed John Hartman and I. B. Ikeler tellers, Wm. Brickbauer clerk. The vote stood, Wm. Shaffer, 164; Jas. M. Dewitt, 166; Samuel Camp, 162; P. S. Harman, 65; Nehemiah Kitchen, 65; Aaron Smith, 60. Messrs. Shaffer, Dewitt and Camp were elected as Executive Committee. For Secretary, Fred. B. Hartman received 169 votes and W. M. Monroe, 61. Hartman was declared elected. Jas. C. Brown was elected Treasurer, receiving 120 votes and John F. Peacock 105; for Librarian, Thomas Webb received 158 votes, Eli Barton, 68; for Member State Board, Chandler Eves, 138, E. M. Tewksbury, 58. Messrs. Webb and Eves were declared elected. A motion to extend the time for purchasing membership tickets from January 1st to May 1st was lost. A motion to elect delegates to the State College, was amended, by leaving it in the hands of the Committee as formerly. The thanks of the Society were tendered the tellers for their services, and after some remarks had been made concerning the manner of voting at the next election, the meeting adjourned.

How often persons have been annoyed by burrs clinging to their dress or clothing, and how seldom have they, when cleaning them, given it a thought that Burdock Root is the most valuable blood cleanser and purifier known and it is sold by every druggist under the name of Burdock Blood Bitters. Price $1.00, trial size 10 cents.

Half the ills of human life proceed from a torpid and disordered liver. Submit to them no longer while "Seller's Liver Pills" will cure you quickly. Price 25 cents. may20 4w

In respect to the memory of Col Thomas A. Scott, ex-President of the Pennsylvania Railroad, the directors of that corporation have ordered a general draping in black of all the vast property of the company. All the locomotives and cars belonging to the company have been heavily festooned.

CHEAP R. R. TICKETS TO THE WEST.

If you are going west save time and money by buying tickets from R. D. Darlington, agent at Rupert. He represents best routes to the west and northwest. Trains leave Rupert at 6:15 a. m., 8:50 a. m., and 4:06 p. m. For rates and information, call on or address

R. D. DARLINGTON,
May 12-6w Ticket Agent, Rupert, Pa.

This month there will be several important conventions of the Young Men's Christian Associations. The eleventh annual convention of secretaries will be held at Cleveland, Ohio, May 20, 24; in the same city, May 24, will be held the seventh German National Convention, and from May 25 to May 29 the twenty-fourth international convention. The ninth "World's Convention" will be held in London, England, July 30 to August 4.

THE BOUND UNLOOSED.

Chas. Thompson, Franklin street, Buffalo, says: "I have suffered for a long time with constipation and tried almost every purgative advertised, but only resulting in temporary relief, and after 'constipation still more aggravated' I was told about your Spring Blossom, and tried it. I can now say I am cured, and though some months have elapsed, still remain so. I shall however always keep some on hand in case of old complaint returning." Prices $1, 50 cents, and trial bottles 10 cents.

Business Notices

To meet the demand for the indispensable Self Binding Harvester, D. M. Osborne & Co., of Auburn, N. Y., are building ten thousand self-binders, this year, besides twenty five or thirty thousand Mowers and Reapers. It will be well for farmers contemplating buying new machines to read carefully the "Osborne Monthly," which is sent gratuitously to farmers by mail where their names have been sent to the company. The May number will be found very interesting, and will be furnished free by the Agents of D M Osborne & Co.

HARMAN & HASSERT, Agents,
May 20 Bloomsburg, Pa.

Clark & Son do not take orders, but cash, and believe their customers save money by this plan.

W. H. Yetter, agent for the Celebrated Ithaca Organs; also sells six makes first-class Sewing Machines. Needles, Oil and Attachments for all machines. Office corner Main and Market streets.

Ribbons in ombre shades, also plain colors. Flowers of all kinds at Clark & Son's.

BOYS' SUITS.

Parents, remember we have a very large stock of Children's Clothing, and much nicer and cheaper than you can make them at home. Call and see for yourselves at

David Lowenberg's.

Parasols and Fans at city prices at

Clark & Son's.

Remember Bandy has made arrangements for a full supply of fresh Lake fish for the month of June.

We have now open a new line of childrens' Lace Caps and Bonnets from 40 cents to $5. Call and see and save money.

Clark & Son.

The season for repairing your Mowers, Reapers, Threshing Machines and other farming implements is at hand, and the place to have repairing done is at HARMAN & HASSERT'S Foundry and Machine Shop. This is the only place in the county where D. M. Osborne & Co's. machines are repaired. A full line of extras for all the leading mowers, reapers, &c., kept constantly on hand. May 20 4w

Full size heavy linen Carriage lap robes at Lutz & Sloan's.

We have been to the city this week and laid in more new Ladies' Hats and Bonnets. You can save money by calling at our store.

Clark & Son.

Nobby Business Suits,
Elegant Dress Suits,
Durable Working Suits,
Now on hand at David Lowenberg's.

More black Cashmeres and Silks this week at Lutz & Sloan's.

Ladies, we keep our stock of Dress Goods in the new annex. You can find dress goods from 10 cents per yard up to $2, and at prices that will compare with any city retail prices. Bring your samples and compare.

Clark & Son.

David Lowenberg would inform his customers and the public in general, that having completed the alterations in his Store, he is now prepared to supply his customers with the latest styles of Clothing. Now on hand a magnificent stock of Ready-made Clothing, selected expressly for the Spring trade. Call and inspect and see for yourselves.

Z. T. Fowler, Willow Grove, Pa. wants 100,000 Rail Road Ties. May 13-3w

The largest variety and biggest stock of Corsets to select from at Clark & Son's.

The fish trade continues, the vegetable trade continues, the fruit trade continues and Bandy continues to sell and deliver at your door fresh goods on Tuesdays and Fridays.

Boots and Shoes, Finest, Best and Cheapest at F. D. Dentler's.

Clothing for all, no matter what your size, age or condition may be, at the Popular Clothing Store of David Lowenberg.

We have now our third lot of Parasols for the season. They are kept in the annex.

Clark & Son.

Furniture Cretonnes only 28 cents a yard at Lutz & Sloan's.

Leave your Orders! Leave your Orders at Bandy's for fresh Fish, Fruit and Vegetables. Goods delivered at your door free of charge.

Largest line of Ladies' Slippers and fine Shoes at Dentler's Shoe Store.

Lawns, the best 12½ cents; Percales, 9 cents per yard; Ginghams for Dresses, a large variety of patterns. In fact, we have one of the largest stock of wash goods we have ever had and at prices the lowest. Come and look at our stock.

Clark & Son.

All the novelties in foot wear at F. D. Dentler's.

For ladies' linen or cloth Ulsters go to Lutz & Sloan's.

Fresh Fish. E. C. Bundy dealer in Fish, Fruits and Vegetables, is receiving daily from the fisheries on Lake Erie the different varieties of Lake fish, such as Trout, Pike, Pickerel, Salmon and White-fish.

Highest Cash price paid for Wheat and Rye by Z. T. Fowler, Willow Grove. May 13-3w

As I have just returned from the South I will be pleased to see all my Friends. Bring on your Wheat, Rye and Rail Road Ties.

Z. T. FOWLER,
May 13 3w WILLOW GROVE.

Japanese Parasols only 15 cents at Lutz & Sloan's.

See a woman picking a bunch of grapes in another column, at Speer's Vineyards, from which Speer's Port Grape Wine is made, that is so highly esteemed by the medical profession for the use of invalids, weakly persons and the aged. Sold by C. A. Kleim. jan 7'81 1y

Ho for a Hat!
For the latest styles,
For the largest assortment
For Men, Youths, Boys and Children,
Go to David Lowenberg's.

MARKET REPORTS.

BLOOMSBURG MARKET.

Wheat per bushel	$1.00
Rye "	.61
Corn, "	.50
Oats, " "	.40
Flour per barrel	6.00
Cloverseed	5.50
Butter	.25
Eggs	.12
Tallow	.06
Potatoes	.50
Dried Apples	.02
Hams	12½
Sides & Shoulders	.09
Chickens	.08
Turkeys	.10
Lard per pound	.10
Hay per ton	20.00
Beeswax	.25

Our Questions.

Are you a buyer of Men's or Boys' Clothing at retail? Do you need clothing for the farm, the office, the work-shop, the court-room, or the pulpit? Do you want boys' clothing for the school-room, or for dress? Do you prefer to buy clothing ready-made or to order? Are you in need of shirts?

If yes, to any or all of these queries, state your needs to us, that we may send you samples and prices.

Your Question

is, Will this pay for the trouble? You must judge. We will make up the case,—you must decide it. But we must tell you that we have created the Largest Retail Clothing Business in the United States by the simple method of giving the best clothing for the least money. We mean that it shall pay you to buy of us. If you buy and are not pleased, return the goods for exchange, or demand your money.

Wanamaker and Brown,

S. E. Cor. Sixth & Market Sts.

PHILADELPHIA.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE!

By virtue of power in the will of John McCalla, late of Steuben county, New York, deceased, the undersigned, one of the executors named in the will and acting executor in said estate, will offer at public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, at one o'clock in the afternoon on

Friday, June 3rd, 1881,

All that tract or parcel of land situate in the township of Beaver in the county of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, formerly Catawissa township, Northumberland county in said state of Pennsylvania, beginning at a post, thence by land of Dantel Neyer south sixteen and one half degrees east three hundred and seventy-nine perches to a post, thence by land of Jesse Evans north twenty-eight degrees east eighty-four perches to a post, thence by land of Jesse Brooks north twelve degrees west eighteen perches to a black oak, thence north seventy-eight degrees, east eighty perches to a post and thence by lands of Catharine Longenberger north sixteen degrees west two hundred and seventy-two perches to a post, thence by land of George Longenberger north twenty-one degrees west one hundred and twelve perches to a post, and thence by land of Thomas Lemons south seventy degrees west one hundred and sixty perches to the place of beginning, containing

Three Hundred and Seventy-two and two-thirds Acres

of land and allowance of six per cent for roads, which said tract of land was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant dated 2nd day of August, 1785 granted to Andrew Clark.

The land is unseated and is supposed to contain

ANTHRACITE COAL.

TERMS.—Two hundred and fifty dollars on striking down the property, and the balance in ten days on delivery of the deed by the executor.

GUY H. MCMASTER,
Executor.

NOTA BENE.—The property was sold for the taxes last June, and the amount required for taxes and redemption from that sale to which the above sale will be subject, will be $229.99. In addition to which will be the taxes accrued since the said sale, on a reduced valuation amounting to about fifteen dollars a year.

JOHN G. FREEZE,
May 6th, '81-ts Attorney.

MERCANTILE APPRAISEMENT.

LIST OF DEALERS IN COLUMBIA COUNTY.

I hereby certify that the following list of dealers taken, returned and classified by me in accordance with the several acts of Assembly, in and for the year 1881, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

	Class.	Tax.
BEAVER.		
C. A. Shuman, General Store,	14	7 00
T. J. Shuman, Grocery,	14	7 00
Joseph Shuman, Hotel,	5	50 00
Nathan Bredbenner, Hotel,	5	50 00
G. P. Orvis, ex's General Store,	14	7 00
Levi Michael, General Store,	14	7 00
BENTON.		
Hiram Hess, Hotel,	5	50 00
H. F. Everitt, General Store,	13	10 00
J. J. McHenry, General Store,	13	10 00
H. & A. McHenry, General Store,	14	7 00
Emanuel Edgar, Hotel,	5	5100
J. E. Edson General Store,	14	7 00
BERWICK.		
H. R. Bower, General Store,	13	10 00
R. H. Little, Drug Store,	14	7 00
F. L. Distelhurst, Furniture,	14	7 00
H. G. Wesner, Eating House,	5	20 00
J. H. Hoyt, " "	5	20 00
Barnes & Bradford, Boots and Shoes,	14	7 00
M. A. Loeb, Clothing,	14	7 00
C. B. Fowler, Furniture and Paper,	14	7 00
J. H. Dietterick, Stationery,	14	7 00
E. S. Kase, Hardware,	14	7 00
A. W. Dickson, General Store,	14	7 00
Freas & Bro., General Store,	11	15 00
Opdyke & Thornton, General Store,	13	10 00
A. Brittain, Drug Store,	14	7 00
H. M. Heckman, Confectionery,	14	7 00
R. Berger, Restaurant,	5	20 00
Bowman & Critsman, General Store,	12	12 50
E. K. Adams, General Store,	13	10 00
C. M. Barnard, Tobacconist Cigars,	14	7 00
G. A. Buckingham, Stoves and Tinware	14	7 00
G. W. Metzger, Eating House,	5	20 00
Freas & Bro., Lumber,	13	10 00
John Keller, Beer Bottler,	5	20 00
Jackson & Woodin, General Store,	6	50 00
R. S. Ent, Stoves and Tinware,	14	7 00
BRIARCREEK.		
H. M. Evans & Bro., General Store,	14	7 00
BLOOMSBURG.		
I. W. McKelvy, General Merchandise,	6	50 00
Alexander & Woodhouse, Store,	14	7 00
F. M. Allen ver, Eating House,	5	50 00
J. F. Caldwell, Confectionery,	14	7 00
L. Gross, Clothing Store,	14	7 00
L. T. Sant, ions, Notion Store,	14	7 00
Lutz & Sloan, General Store,	13	10 00
N. J. Henderhott, Drug and Teas,	14	7 00
W. H. Gilmore, Restaurant,	5	20 00
C. R. Robbins, Liquor Store,	13	25 00
William Kreamer, General Store,	13	10 00
E. E. Brewer, Stoves and Tinware,	14	7 00
William A fen, Grocery,	14	7 00
William Babb, "	14	7 00
S. W. Conner, "	14	7 00
D. Stroup, "	14	7 00
D. A. Creasy, General Store,	13	10 00
J. H. Klippert, Drug and Books,	14	7 00
C. E. Rockey, Boots and Shoes,	14	7 00
A. J. Evans, Clothing Store,	14	7 00
C. C. Matz, General Store,	14	7 00
E. Jacoby, Oysters and Fish,	14	7 00
Joseph Becker, Candy Store,	14	7 00
J. B. Wilson, Boots and Shoes,	14	7 00
I. K. Miller, General Store,	14	7 00
L. Runyan & Co., Hardware,	13	10 00
Holmes & Schuyler, Hardware,	12	12 50
Louis Bernhard, Jeweler,	14	7 00
E. Gadbush, Furniture,	14	7 00
George Brown, Hotel,	5	50 00
S. A. Wilson, Confectionery,	14	7 00
C. E. Savage, Jeweler,	14	7 00
H. J. Clark & Son, General Store,	11	15 00
Peter Billmeyer & Co., Grocery,	13	10 00
T. Webb, Tobacconist,	14	7 00
P. Girou's Restaurant,	5	20 00
Mrs. Jane Scott, Confectionery,	14	7 00
W. R. Tubbs, Hotel,	5	50 00
G. A. Clark, Book Store,	13	10 00
F. D. Dentler, Boots and Shoes,	14	7 00
Moyer Bros., Wholesale Drug Store,	11	15 00
Moyer Bros., Drug Store,	14	7 00
C. C. Seligman, Stoves and Tinware,	14	7 00
W. D. Yeager, Sewing Machines and Organs,	14	7 00
Hartman Bros., Grocery,	14	7 00
J. Saltzer, Sewing Machines and Organs,	14	7 00
R. H. Wagner, Stoves and Tinware,	14	7 00
J. K. Eyer, General Store,	14	7 00
W. J. Correll & Co., Furniture Store,	13	10 00
Jacob Keller, Wholesale Notions,	13	15 00
Bandy & Neyhart, Grocery,	14	7 00
Singer Manf'g. Co., Sewing Machines,	14	7 00
C. A. Kleim, Druggist,	14	7 00
H. C. Hartman, Carpet Store,	14	7 00
W. Hartman, General Store,	13	20 00
David Lowenberg, Clothing Store,	13	10 00
Henry Klein, Grocery,	14	7 00
William Gigot, Hotel,	5	50 00
G. M. & J. K. Lockard, Coal Dealers,	14	7 00
C. W. Neal & Bro., Coal Dealers,	14	7 00
O. A. Jacoby, Coal and Grocery,	14	7 00
B. F. Sharpless, Merchandise,	14	7 00
Bloomsburg Iron Co., General Store,	10	20 00
W. C. Richard, Flour and Feed,	14	7 00
J. W. Hoffman, " "	14	7 00
J. H. Strohm, " "	14	7 00
John Wolf, Agricultural Implements,	14	7 00
Simon Shive, " "	14	7 00
A. Lewis, Huckster,	14	7 00
G. A. Jacoby, Liquor Store,	15	25 00

CATAWISSA.

G. L. Reedenbaugh, Hotel,	5	50 00
A. Friedenmiller, Restaurant,	5	20 00
S. B. Brown, Stoves and Tinware,	14	7 00
William Detwiler, General Store,	14	7 00
William A. Seaman, " "	14	7 00
E. Smith, Restaurant,	5	20 00
J. B. Kistler, Hotel,	5	50 00
Gilbert & Kline, General Store,	11	15 00
Stephen Bailey, " "	12	12 50
C. F. Harder, Lumber and Hardware	14	7 00
S. B. Delmer, General Store,	13	10 00
George Mahlbert, Boots and Shoes,	13	10 00
R. K. Sharpless & Son, General Store,	10	20 00
C. E. Harder, Furniture,	13	10 00
John McCoy, Confectionery,	14	7 00
Hartman & Henrie, Furniture	14	7 00
Wm John, Stoves & Tinware,	14	7 00
True Kennil er & Keller, Books and Music,	14	7 00
J. M. Smith, Hardware and Drugs,	12	12 50
S. D. Rhoad, General Store,	14	7 00
L. P. Osman, Drug Store,	14	7 00
A. R. Cleaver Stoves and Tinware,	14	7 00
P. H. Shuman, Clothing and Boots,	14	7 00
B. F. Fortner & Son, General Store,	14	7 00
I. H. Seesholtz, General Store,	14	7 00
Wm. Berkhimer, Restaurant,	5	20 00
Catawissa Paper Co., Coal Dealers,	14	7 00
John Mensch, Coal Dealer,	14	7 00
CONYNGHAM.		
John L. Kline, Hotel,	5	50 00
A. H. Church, General Store,	13	10 00
Daniel Kehres, Hotel,	5	50 00
Mrs. Annie McKiernan, Restaurant,	5	20 00
Mrs. Mary Monroe, Restaurant,	5	20 00
Wm. Herbert, store,	14	7 00
CENTRE.		
Z. Taylor Fowler, Grain and Coal,	13	10 00
Jacob Sponsler, General Store,	14	7 00
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Don't Scare the Colts.

In uttering this injunction we mean more than merely to avoid frightening the colts lest they run against the fence and hurt themselves. We mean far more, also, than merely to avoid making them wild and timid, although both these dangers are imminent, and justify careful avoidance. In all animal life, the inherited habits of action may be greatly neutralized or greatly strengthened by cultivation. This cultivation begins when the foal stands up and sucks, and when it is six weeks old the education may be somewhat regular and methodical. If you are breeding running horses, encourage the colt to extend himself at a gallop, for that is what you want him to do in future; but if you are breeding trotters, encourage the colt to extend himself at a trot, for that is what you want him to do in future—rear him, if you can, without knowing that there is such a gait as the gallop.

If you have a young hound dog that you intend specially for the pursuit of the fox, you will not, at any time, allow him to strike out on rabbit trails that he may come across. If you indulge him once he is so much harder to restrain the next time, and if you let him have his own sweet will in chasing all the little ground game in the neighborhood, he will be of no use for a fox dog. The dog had the inheritance and he would have been all right if he had not been ruined in his education. So it is with the trotting bred colts in the field. Every time you scare up one and make him gallop, it is the dog off on the rabbit trail. You injure the colt in driving him out of the gait for which he was bred, and to which his instincts led him to adhere. In the end we will reach the colt that will not know how to gallop; but as a means to that end we must stop making the colts do the very thing we don't want them to do.

Sowing Grain.

We sow our grain too thick, just as we set our shrubs and trees and plant our corn too close. With land made mellow and level, and the seed distributed evenly and properly covered, half the quantity now used would answer the purpose. The drill is a convincing proof of this. Here is the all-important condition of uniform covering, and as all the seed grows, light seeding is necessary if the seed is sound and undamaged. More attention to the seed is therefore called for, and securing this, greater cleanliness will follow. Our grain will eventually be drilled in, thus lessening the seed to about one-half. Even this will be reduced, for we sow too thick with the drill. Where the land is well prepared, as it should be, and the seed is all sound, broadcasting will admit of a reduction of nearly one-half, and the crop will be better. There will be a large straw, a larger and fuller head, and less disposition to lodge. More labor should be bestowed upon the seed bed, which enriches it as well as improves it otherwise, and less seed sown, passing it first through the fanning mill, with a full wind on, as the light or imperfect seeds make feeble growth.

Drainage.

There is scarcely a farm on which cannot be found, at this season of the year, some spots that drainage would greatly benefit. The farmer walks over his wheat field and thinks as he mires ankle deep, in passing a hollow, "How much better it would be for this wheat if the water went down into an underdrain, instead of evaporating from the surface." A simple water furrow opened with the plow is better than no drainage in such places for the grain crops, but they seriously interfere in reaping, and the drainage is only imperfect at best.

No investigation pays the farmer better than underdraining these wet but rich spots and hollows. In many instances, a single ditch along the base of a hill or run, so as to tap springs, will dry a large area of land. Farmers should look over their premises closely at this season, and note the spots where draining is essential, and mark out the courses of the drains. If one can get on the field without injury to a crop, and there is not too much water, spring is an excellent time to make underdrains.—*Rural Home.*

Currant Worms.

A writer in the *Fruit Recorder* says there is no necessity of breeding currant worms. This is done by leaving bushes untrimmed, the worms always attacking the new growth first. He says: "My plan is this: In starting a currant patch, I confine the bush not to exceed from one to three main stems and give all the strength of the root to their support. As hinted above, sprouts will start from the roots each spring; but they must be rubbed off when about six inches long. All currant-growers are aware that worms first make their appearance on the new growth and then spread over the bush. Consequently, no sprouts, no worms. This is just as plain as that two and two make four. I have followed this plan for the last two years, to my satisfaction, and have barely seen the effect of worms on one or two bushes where my plan was not fully carried out. But such currants I never saw grow, the common red Dutch being nearly as large as the cherry currant and a better bearer. I had a few bushes that actually broke down from their load of fruit."

YOUNG PIGS.—When pigs are two weeks old they should have a pen and trough adjoining that of the sow, so arranged that they may pass from one to the other at pleasure, and should be fed on milk at first; and as they grow older the food should be made more nourishing by scalding shipstuff, allowing it to cool and feeding it with milk. Care should be taken not to scorch the food. The milk should never be cooked, as it would be liable to cause scours. Different litters of pigs should not be permitted to mix until they are at least four weeks old.

The Ichthyopagists are now in their glory. This is of fish-all. If there's any extra postage on that second word please pay it and charge it to us.

Mr. C. B. Porter, Druggist, Towanda, Pa. For several years I have been troubled with catarrh; have tried many remedies without much relief. Ely's Cream Balm has proved to be the article desired, having wonderful results in my case. I believe it to be the only cure. L. B. Coburn, Towanda, Pa., May 14, 1879.

Messrs. Ely Bros., druggists, Owego, N. Y.—The supply of Cream Balm I purchased of you sold rapidly. Such is the demand I have had occasion to duplicate my orders no less than five times within three months. My customers have found this no humbug, but a preparation of real merit and evidently a sovereign catholicon for the cure of catarrh. An article that will produce such results will prove a blessing to any community. Wm. Tuck, druggist, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Jan. 28, 1880.

Odd Items.

A neglected industry: No dog has yet been awarded a prize for the best case of hydrophobia.

"If you are in need, I will make you a present of $50, but I will not pay higher rent," was the sarcastic proposition of a tenant in the annexed district to his landlord, recently. Alas! it was accepted.

Give your neighbor a helping hand by recommending him to keep Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup in his family for all the ills babies are subject to.

When that young man out west hugged his best girl to death, was it not a deadlock?

It is very little use for a fellow to make love to the fair sex with the gout in his right arm.

The best preparation known in the market for restoring gray hair to its original color is Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer. Try it!

An enquiring exchange says: "What are boys good for?" The ignorance. Why boys make men, sir; and men go to congress and the senate, and formulate deadlocks and things.

A Maine man who died, left a large quantity of fish, beef and bread, and said: "These are the provisions of my will."

In England it is growing fashionable to be "hard up." That is the most convenient fashion ever invented.

BETTER THAN FOREIGN PORT.

Speer's Port Grape Wine is better than imported Port, and, since the adulteration of the latter, it must take its place. It is pure, and really excellent and health-giving.—*Troy Times.*

Members of the Board of Health, of New York, and other prominent physicians, use this wine for their patients and in their own families. For sale by C. A. Kleim, druggist, Bloomsburg, Pa.

Chicago girls have the æsthetic craze; they are getting up their hair so that it looks like a pile of rat traps struck by lightning.

The man who woke up one bitterly cold night and found he had kicked all the clothes off was surprised, but he quickly recovered.

Isn't there a seeming incongruousness in describing a total abstinence lecturer as at work in the moral vineyard?

Just step in and tell your doctor about it in the morning after you leave off your winter underwear. It will save you the trouble of sending after him the next day.

RUB IT IN.

Jacob Loeckman, 274 Clinton street, Buffalo, N. Y., says he has been using Thomas' Eclectric Oil for rheumatism. He had such a lame back that he could do nothing; but one bottle entirely cured him.

It is supposed that the reason Lord Beaconsfield never associated with his brothers, James and Ralph, was that they belonged to a plebeian family.

TO PERSONS ABOUT TO MARRY.

"To persons about to marry," Douglass Jerrold's advice was "don't;" we supplement by saying, without laying in a supply of Spring Blossom; cures albuminaria and other kidney and bladder complaints. Price 50 cents, trial bottles 10 cents.

Why does your wife's new spring bonnet resemble a snipe? You are silent. We will aid you. 'Tis nearly all bill.

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A man was recently assaulted and nearly killed in a New York saloon for refusing to drink. Probably his assailant thought he was insane, and struck him in self defense.

Properly referred: Neighbor's pretty daughter—"How much is this a yard?" Draper's son (desperate "spoons" on her)—"Only one kiss." N. P. D.—"I will take three yards; grandma will pay."

GET OUT DOORS.

The close confinement of all factory work, gives the operatives pallid faces, poor appetite, languid, miserable feelings, poor blood, inactive liver, kidneys and urinary troubles, and all the physicians and medicine in the world cannot help them unless they get out of doors or use Hop Bitters, the purest and best remedy, especially for such cases, having abundance of health, sunshine and rosy cheeks in them. They cost but a trifle. See another column.—*Christian Recorder.*

Wealth may not bring happiness, but it commands respect in a police officer.

Colonel Higginson complains that women are indifferent about the right of suffrage. That is probably because it has not been exhibited in the show window of a millinery store.

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For genuine merit there is no tonic sold that begins to compare with Parker's Ginger Tonic. One 50 ct., bottle contains more life and strength-restoring power than a bushel of malt or a gallon of pure milk. As an appetizer, blood purifier and kidney corrector, it meets with astonishing success, and invalids find its use promptly followed by renewed energy and vivacity, mental and physical improvement, and gradual restoration to perfect health. See other columns.—*Commercial.*

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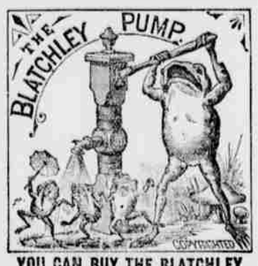

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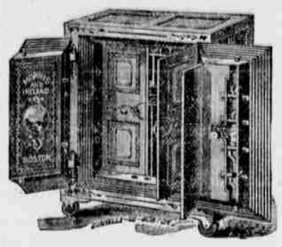

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Yours truly, I. G. TEETS.

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Morris & Ireland, Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen:—On the night of the fire in our village on the 26th ult., I had in use one of your No. 5 Safes. I am pleased to inform you, after the floor gave way it fell into the cellar, into a heap of burning coal, where it roasted for thirty hours. Our citizens and myself gave up the hope of anything being saved in it. On being taken from the ruins I was happily disappointed to find my cash, vouchers and other articles of value perfectly preserved. The consolation works well now. I am satisfied your new and improved work, one of which, a No. 20, I have ordered of your agent to-day, will afford absolute protection in any fire.

Truly Yours, E. S. BARNES.

STILL AHEAD.

Rochester, N. H., Dec. 10, '80.

Messrs. Morris & Ireland:

Dear Sirs:—In the disastrous fire which took place in this town Nov. 30, the Morris and Ireland safe in my store was subjected to a severe test, being thrown into the cellar and a huge mass of debris fell upon it, and it was in this condition some two days. I take pleasure in informing you that upon excavation it was opened without difficulty and the contents were found to be undisturbed. I cheerfully recommend your safe, and should I want another I should certainly give the chase one from you.

Yours truly, C. W. HOWE.

STILL ANOTHER.

From the Great Fire in Troy, New York.

Troy, N. Y., December 11, 1879.

Messrs Morris & Ireland, Boston:

Gentlemen:—After witnessing the charred books out of the safes opened, also one of my own which was another make, which was hot in the heat of the fire like the No. 6 I lately purchased of you, which was in the fire over forty-eight hours, and find to be continually placed on during Monday night, as it was completely surrounded with burning muslins and other inflammable material, on opening it in the ruins Tuesday afternoon, I was pleased to find the contents, books, papers and money were all preserved in a remarkably good condition. With this proof of the fire qualities of your safes we have given your agent an order for one No. 8 safe.

Yours respectfully, DAVIS & CO.

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Messrs. Morris & Ireland, Boston:

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Boston, January 2, 18-0.

MESSRS MORRIS & IRELAND,

Gents:—I made a careful examination of the contents of the safe purchased of you some years since by the firm of Rice, Kendall & Co., and which was subject to the test of enormous heat in the great fire of Sunday night. I regard the security of the safe under the circumstances as most remarkable. None of its contents were burned, nor were any of them so injured by heat as to be materially damaged. I should commit any securities to you or safe hereafter with additional confidence. With great respect, yours very truly,

Alexander H. Rice.

THE LATEST YET.

BUT THE SAME RESULT,

So Norridgewock, Me., Feb. 1, 1881.

Messrs Morris & Ireland, Boston Mass.:

The safe I bought of you last October was in a two-story wooden building, which burned Jan. 25. The building took fire in the night, and the safe, but dying and its contents, fell into the cellar upon a pile of dry wood, making a hot fire which lasted for ten hours. The outside of the safe was heated red hot. It melted the handle and dial off the door. The contents consisted of watches, jewelry, silverware, books papers &c., all of which came out in good condition. Papers lying against the inside of the safe were not injured. The safe shows for itself what it is, and I feel well satisfied with what it has done. Please write what you can allow for it toward a new one, and oblige,

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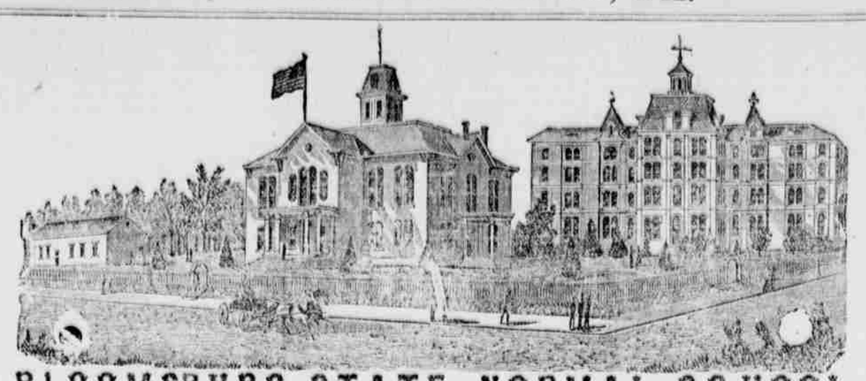

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" "	Harrisburg	4 25 a m
" "	Williamsport	8 40 a m
" "	Jersey Shore	9 10 a m
" "	Lock Haven	9 40 a m
" "	Renovo	11 05 a m
" arrive at	Erie	7 45 p m
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" "	Harrisburg	12 15 p m
" arr. at	Williamsport	3 15 p m
" "	Lock Haven	4 20 p m
" "	Renovo	5 40 p m
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